

Population of New York State Now 11,162,151

According to State Census Figures New York State Gained 776,924 in Last Five Years—5,873,356 in Counties Comprising Greater New York.

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 23.—There are 11,162,151 persons in New York state, a gain of 776,924 in the last five years, according to census figures announced today by Mrs. Florence E. S. Knapp, secretary of state.

A quarter of a century ago the state had a population of 7,263,894. In 1905 it had reached 8,067,308. When 1910 rolled around the population had jumped to 9,113,614 and five years later it was 9,687,744.

5,873,356 in N. Y. C.

Of the total number of persons in the state, 5,873,356 live in the counties comprising Greater New York.

The average number of residents to the square mile in the state is now 234.2 as compared to 217.9 in 1920; 191.2 in 1910 and 152.5 back in 1900.

Hamilton Has Fewest Residents.

Hamilton county, with an area of 1,700 square miles, has the fewest residents, there being about two persons to the square mile. The county has a population of 4,665.

4,666 Indians.

In place of the thousands of Indians who once roamed the hills and valleys of the state, the 1923 census shows there are now 4,666.

Allegany Shows Loss.

Every county in the state has shown a growth in the last five years with the exception of Allegany, where the loss has been very small, amounting to 27 in comparison to a falling off of over 3,000 that took place in the county between 1915 and 1920.

Many counties, including Nassau, Westchester, Suffolk, Rockland, Niagara, Tompkins and Genesee scored the greatest gains in population in the last five years in any like period in their history.

Mrs. Knapp Directed Census.

The census was taken last June by thousands of enumerators under the direction of Mrs. Knapp. The actual work of counting the persons in the state took about a month, but the task of tabulating the returns of each enumerator has taken nearly six months.

The 1923 Legislature appropriated \$1,200,000 to pay for the cost of the census.

Protests in Some Cities.

In some instances cities protested against the state census. Mrs. Knapp said, however, there had been gains in rural sections near every city which had failed to show a material increase.

N. Y. C. Gained Quarter of a Million.

Greater New York gained more than a quarter of a million over 1920. The largest gain was recorded in Kings, Queens and the Bronx, while the population of the borough of Manhattan fell off 339,974 in the last five years.

Kings county gained 184,879; the Bronx 149,152; Queens, 245,605 and Richmond county 21,746.

Daniel H. Sugrue Kills Himself

Boston, Mass., Dec. 23.—Jail's grim shadow, with his former friend, now district attorney, in the foreground preyed to such an extent on the mind of Daniel H. Sugrue, 55, that he took his life by sending a bullet into his brain.

This was the theory today of friends of the former office partner of Daniel H. Coakley and codefendant with the latter, William Corcoran and Phillips Allen in their extortion trial.

Sugrue defaulted his bail and after Coakley's acquittal came home, Friendship between Sugrue and District Attorney Arthur K. Reading— a friendship of more than a quarter of a century—was broken when Reading referred to not pros Sugrue's case.

Sugrue killed himself in his New ton home as police were seeking him to serve a default warrant, his friends said today.

Public Hearing On City Budget

On Tuesday evening, December 23, Mayor Morris Block will hold a public hearing on the proposed city budget for 1924. In the common council chambers at the city hall. The city budget is now being gotten in shape so as to be ready for the public hearing when interested taxpayers may have a chance to hear the various items read and make any suggestions in regard to the budget.

NEWBURGH OFFERS \$500

REWARD FOR AUTO DRIVER

In an effort to bring to justice the operator of the automobile which ran down and killed Miss Ada Phillips, formerly of Saugerties, the Newburgh city council Monday evening authorized a \$500 reward for information to the person or persons offering information which would lead to the arrest and conviction of the guilty person.

Fascists Hope For Revolution

Head of French Fascists Says They Will Not Stop At Violence—Fascists Hour Will Come, Is Optimistic Statement Of Arthuys.

Paris, Dec. 23.—"Our hour will come. The circumstances are more favorable than ever as the various political parties continue their nefarious acts."

This optimistic statement was made today by Jacques Arthuys, head of the "Faisceau" of French Fascists, in an interview explaining the aims of his party.

"We would suppress parliament," Arthuys said. "The president of the Republic would not bother us. Our dictatorship would be only temporary. As soon as we had instilled throughout France the spirit of victory and the spirit of the grandeur of our country our dictatorship would disappear and a stable government would be established, royalist, Republican or imperial. The form doesn't matter."

"We have to fight against parliamentarism, the cause of all our troubles. Actually we are governed in the name of a party, the cartel of the Left. Yesterday it was the bloc national and tomorrow it will be something else, but always the victorious party governing against the vanquished party."

"For a long time the liberal bourgeoisie spirit has governed us, tomorrow it will probably be the workers' spirit. Why? Both have their places in society but not in the government. Everything in its place and the state above all."

Arthuys admitted that the condition the Fascists hoped to bring about was revolution.

"But we want to be in power to effect that revolution," continued Arthuys, "not conduct a revolution in order to seize power."

"Violence is not a part of our program. But if we cannot avoid it, we will not hesitate before it."

WDBZ Heard in New Hampshire

Opening Program Tuesday Night Also Received By Radio Fans Throughout Hudson River Valley And In Ulster County.

The opening program broadcast from Station WDBZ Tuesday evening was heard as far away as New Hampshire and reports of good reception came in from Poughkeepsie, Middletown, Catskill, Saugerties, Hastings-on-Hudson, Dobbs Ferry, Shokan, Shady, Woodstock, Phoenixia, and Rhinebeck.

The program was given practically as announced and was excellent. The singing of Miss Gladys Crawford transmitted especially well. While not possible to tune WDBZ entirely out on all other stations, it would be subdued sufficiently to obtain an almost perfect reception from many distant stations, among these New York, Washington, Schenectady, Pittsburgh, Springfield, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Philadelphia, Chicago, Detroit, Davenport, Providence, Atlanta, Zion City and Arlington.

Wierd results was sometimes attained, as for instance when the Hallelujah chorus, coming from another station, had occasional lines from "The Land of the Sky Blue Water", coming from WDBZ, mixed in it, or when the peering voice of Announcer Nesbitt suddenly overwhelmed that of a soprano soloist in Philadelphia or Cincinnati.

The regular night for broadcasting by WDBZ has not yet been determined, the station now being so powerful that an arrangement must be made for sharing time with other stations within 200 miles of Kingston.

Four Firemen Crushed to Death

Five Others Known to Be Critically Injured As Result of Wall Collapsing While They Were Fighting a Fire.

Waynesburg, Pa., Dec. 23.—Four firemen were crushed to death under tons of stone and mortar, five others were known to have been critically injured and it is feared others were buried when a wall collapsed today while they were fighting a \$700,000 fire that threatened the entire business district.

Fifty guests of the Downey House, one of the buildings destroyed fled to the streets in scant attire as store rooms under the hotel were converted into a roaring inferno by flames that started in a small restaurant.

The dead: Herman Lenz, 36; William Finch, 27; Harvey Call, Jr., 23; Joseph Kestner, 21.

Although the blaze was under control, streams of water were played upon the smoldering ruins throughout the day. The flames were kept within the block which was swept.

Will Pay \$75,000.

Shanahan, Dec. 23.—As the result of a judicial inquiry of the killing of 12 Chinese students and the wounding of 17 others during the anti-Japanese demonstration here on May 30, the municipal council today announced that \$75,000 would be paid to the families of those killed in the rioting.

Drowned in Auto Which Plunged in Reservoir Creek

John G. Sohner of West Saugerties Met Death When Car Plunged Down Embankment — Rear Wheels Only Part of Car Not Submerged.

Henry Lamoree of Blue Mountain on Tuesday noticed the rear wheels of a motor car sticking up out of the water in the creek that receives the overflow from the Blue Mountain reservoir which supplies the village of Saugerties with its water supply.

The car was at the foot of a twenty foot embankment and apparently had been driven over the bank. Mr. Lamoree immediately notified Chief of Police Richter at Saugerties and an investigation was made. With the help of neighbors the car was dragged from the water and it was discovered then that there was a man in the car. The body was identified as that of John G. Sohner, 32 years old, who conducts a farm at West Saugerties.

How long the car had been in the water is not known except that Charles Ecker, who resides near the scene remembers hearing a noise about 6:30 o'clock Monday evening. At the time thought it was an accident but made no investigation. It is thought that the car was driven off the embankment at that time and lay in the water until discovered by Mr. Lamoree Tuesday afternoon.

Coroner Conner was notified and went to the scene and made an investigation. It is the opinion of the coroner that the machine was driven off the bank Monday evening and that the occupant was held down by the machine and being unable to release himself or make an outcry, drowned.

The body was turned over to undertaker Norvin Lasher at Saugerties and is being held pending instructions from the dead man's relatives.

Mr. Sohner came to West Saugerties about two years ago and resided on the farm alone, his wife having died some six years ago. A short time ago he sold his farm but had not vacated it as yet. He had been at Quarryville on Monday and it is supposed that while on his way home drove his car off the bank.

The authorities are attempting to locate a brother of the deceased who is said to reside in Newburgh, and his wife's people who reside near Highland Falls. According to the authorities Mr. Sohner was arrested some time ago on a charge of reckless driving.

SANTA CLAUS AT WHITE EAGLE HALL.

On Sunday afternoon, December 27, at 2 o'clock there will be a gala afternoon for the children when Santa Claus will make his annual visit to the White Eagle Hall on Delaware avenue, under the auspices of the Sacred Heart Societies and a program has been arranged for the children by Mrs. F. Czarnicki.

The members of the society have been advised by Santa Claus that he will be there in full regalia with a Christmas tree, and the usual presents to be distributed to each little girl and boy who has been good during the past year. There will be a musical program rendered by the White Eagle Band under the direction of E. Green. The members of the societies are also looking forward to a very enjoyable afternoon to be spent with all who attend.

SUED FOR \$11,250, JURY GAVE THEM \$672 VERDICT

A jury in the Supreme court in Newburgh Monday awarded Nelson S. Beck and his father, Nelson C. Beck, \$672 in settlement of three claims aggregating \$11,250. The suits grew out of an auto collision on the Little Britain road when a truck owned by John A. DuBois of Marlborough and driven by Michael Mayo of Newburgh sideswiped a Ford car driven by Mr. Beck. Mr. DuBois carried insurance on his truck.

Singer Was Not Poisoned.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 23.—A coroner's jury found that the death of William Beck, Chicago civic opera company singer, was due to natural causes. After rumors had been circulated that he was poisoned, friends had the authorities conduct an investigation.

Offered Enriches Job.

New York, Dec. 23.—George J. McLachlan will be police commissioner of New York city under Mayor-elect Walker. If he will accept the job, McLachlan, who is now state superintendent of banks, will make known his decision tonight.

May Consent To Armistice.

Paris, Dec. 23.—Abd-el-Krim may consent to an early armistice if France and Spain offer negotiable peace terms to him, Gordon Carnahan, British officer, who is acting as Abd-el-Krim's peace commissary, stated today.

Our Growing Population.

The following births have been reported to the board of health: Mr. and Mrs. Burton J. Davis, 52 Crown street, a daughter, Marianne; Mrs. and Mrs. Adam Angier, 25 Carroll street, a son, Adam, Jr.

Kellogg Chama Is Dead.

Tokio, Dec. 23.—Kellogg Okama, vice president of the Japanese Fraternity, died here today.

Not Guilty, Says Robert K. Hutton

Grand Jury Indicts Robert K. Hutton For Assault, Second Degree—Hutton Is Charged With Stabbing Harry Souders.

Robert K. Hutton of 313 Albany avenue was arraigned in the Supreme court Tuesday before Judge Hasbrouck and entered a plea of not guilty to a charge of assault, second degree. Mr. Hutton is charged with having stabbed one Harry Souders, a one-armed war veteran, on August 2 last in this city. The indictment against Hutton was found by the grand jury in attendance at the December term of court which handed up its report on Monday afternoon. The indictment was sealed and at the time the report was handed up all sealed indictments were referred to county court with the exception of the one against Hutton.

It is alleged that Hutton stabbed Souders in the left side where the arm had been removed and just back of the arm pit. Souders was in a serious condition at the Benedictine Hospital for several weeks and finally recovered.

Hutton was arrested by Sergeant Simpson and charged with the stabbing. Arraigned in city court, he was held under \$10,000 bail for the action of the grand jury on a charge of assault, first degree. The alleged stabbing took place on Downs street near the Ulster and Delaware crossing in the early evening of Sunday, August 2.

Souders found his way to a nearby house and asked for assistance. He was then taken to the Benedictine Hospital where he was under the care of Doctors William J. and John G. O'Leary for several weeks.

When arraigned in the Supreme court Tuesday Mr. Hutton entered a plea of not guilty and was admitted to bail. John W. Eckert appeared for Mr. Hutton. The rights of the defendant to make further motions in the matter was reserved.

Bodies of Nine Miners Recovered

Two of Eleven Entrapped Miners Rescued When Fire Broke Out Resulting From Short Circuit—"Death Valley" Recounts Series of Disasters.

Bellaire, Ohio, Dec. 23.—Tears and heart aches replaced Christmas cheer in this little mining town today as the begrimed underground workers prepared to bury their dead.

Nine lifeless bodies have been recovered from the Webb mine, near here, where 11 miners were entrapped last yesterday. The other two were rescued.

A falling stone hit a feed wire and caused a short circuit. Fire broke out and nine men were suffocated.

Harry Pyle and Robert Hoch were the only survivors. They owe their lives to their presence of mind in blocking themselves against the foul air by placing their coats before them in a narrow air course.

The bodies of the nine dead were found in a dead heap.

Forty rescuers worked throughout the night for other dead while hundreds of others kept the death watch at the dreary entrance.

The dead:

A. O. Traux, John Ferry, Alphonse Zaccanti, Sam Kello, Julius Taber, Edward Kennedy, John Kura, Thomas W. Spazzas, Martin Szewdz.

119 Killed a Year Ago.

While the direful clang of funeral bells broke in discordant cadence on the silvery tinkle of Christmas chimes today, Ohio's "death valley" recounted the series of disasters that gave the tragic name to the Wegoc Creek vicinity.

Four years ago a cloudburst struck the town of Webb and nine persons were drowned.

One year ago 119 men were killed in the Denwood, West Virginia mine, which worked the same vein of coal in which the nine Bellaire workers were working when suffocated by fire Tuesday night.

Ferry Timetable Changes Sunday

The winter timetable of the ferryboat transport will go in effect on Sunday, December 27.

Under the new timetable, the first trip from Rondout except on Sundays will be at 6:30 a. m., the last trip from Rondout at 6:00 p. m. and the last trip from Rhinecliff at 7 p. m.

On Sunday, the first trip from Rondout will be at 7:45 a. m., the last trip from Rhinecliff at 6:15 p. m., and the last trips of the day at the same time as on other days.

Trips between will be approximately one hour apart.

Mechanics' Council Card Party.

On Tuesday night, December 23, the members of Charles DeWitt Council, No. 31, Jr. O. E. F. M. will hold a progressive pinocchle party in their rooms on Henry street. The public is invited to attend. Prizes and refreshments will be given. Playing will begin at 8 o'clock.

Three Children Killed in Panic At Xmas Party

Santa Claus Throws Toys to Eric School Children, Panic Follows in Which Three are Killed, One Critically Injured and Score Bruised.

Eric, Pa., Dec. 23.—Three children are dead, a score more are in hospitals, one of whom probably will die, and over fifty were given first aid treatment as a result of the panic that occurred in the Eric arena late yesterday afternoon at a pre-Christmas party given for the school children of Eric.

As Santa Claus, in the person of Adler Wilbur, started to throw toys to the kiddies, those in front started a rush. Others followed and a jam occurred near the platform. A Santa tried to check those at the front. Those in the rear thought he was calling them forward. Then the children piled up.

Santa Is Buried.

In an instant the entire building was in a panic. Santa was buried under the mass of humanity.

The cries of the little ones could be heard for blocks. A hurried call was sent in for police reserves, firemen and ambulances.

It was necessary for the firemen to chop their way into the building as a mass of struggling children had jammed the doors.

Little ones were trampled. As fast as the injured could be gotten out of the building they were rushed to a hospital. Three had died—Billy Wagner 5; Ellen Rickrode, 9; and Raymond Kopynicki, 12.

Scene Heart Rending.

The scene at the hospital was heart rending. Frantic parents rushed about trying to find their little ones. Some of them did not return home until nearly midnight. Several were found by the police wandering around after dark in a dazed condition, half frozen and suffering from bruises about their bodies.

PORT JERVIS BOY STRUCK HIS FATHER AND MOTHER

Angered by a lecture from his father on his conduct, Salvatore Saliello, 18 years old, declared that he "didn't give a damn" for his parents and proceeded to show his disregard of all filial relations by attacking his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Saliello, with a chair on Monday. When this weapon failed he went upstairs to his father's bedroom and taking a .32 calibre revolver from the drawer of a bureau, threatened to shoot his father, who had followed him upstairs. The revolver was not loaded and when the youth discovered this he left the house.

CATSKILL MAN WAS ACTING QUEERLY ON THE STREET

Lawrence Roszhany, 32 years old, a Polish resident of Catskill, was arrested Tuesday evening by Officer Camp who found him acting queerly on the street, waving his hands in the air and talking loudly and annoying people on the street. This morning in police court the hearing was adjourned to Thursday in police court.

Louis Basch, arrested by Motor Inspector Briggs on a charge of driving his car past a trolley car discharging passengers, was dismissed on a technical error in the information.

SOVIET RUSSIA WILL NOT ENTER LEAGUE

Berlin, Dec. 23.—Soviet Russia is determined never to enter the League of Nations. Foreign Minister Tchitcherin declared in an interview to Rote Fahne prior to his departure for Moscow today.

The league "he explained" was an organization of capitalist machinations against weaker nations and colonial peoples. The league as such is a species of Utopia but in the hands of powerful nations it is a menacing weapon.

PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD APPROVES SALE.

Albany, Dec. 23.—The Public Service Commission has approved the purchase by the Central Hudson Gas & Electric Company of Poughkeepsie of the Wappingers Electric Corporation of Wappingers Falls. The Commission's engineers and accountants fixed a valuation upon the property of \$295,629.50 and directed that the difference between that figure and the purchase price of \$369,669 be amortized over a period of years extending to 1945.

NEGRO FOUND DEAD HAS A BROTHER IN PORT EWING.

The body of the negro found dead in his room at 48 South Water street, Newburgh, on Monday, was identified by two friends who said the corpse was that of Walter Williams, about 40 years old, a native of the south. He is said to have a sister living at Newport News, Va., and a brother at Port Ewing. When last seen Sunday night he was apparently in good health.

Looney Guilty of Murder.

Calabazur, Ill., Dec. 23.—John Looney, publisher and Rock Island's alleged mad lord, was found guilty of the murder of William Gabel, former Rock Island saloonkeeper, by a jury here today. Looney was sentenced to fourteen years in the penitentiary.

Rodies Buy the Sidell Coal Yard

Kingston Men Take Possession of Poughkeepsie Coal Business on January 1—Organize the Rodie Coal Company.

The Poughkeepsie Evening Star of Tuesday says:

The retail coal business of E. V. Sidell, located in Fairview avenue, has been purchased by the Rodie Coal Company, a newly organized company, headed by Robert R. Rodie of Kingston, son-in-law of Mrs. J. W. Hinkley, Sr., of this city. The new owners will take possession of the yards and business January 1.

With the taking over the Sidell business in this city the North River Coal Company, wholesalers, will have retail branches in Poughkeepsie, Ossining, Kingston and Poughkeepsie. Mr. Rodie's family are heavy stockholders in the North River Coal Company.

Mr. Rodie said today that the yard in this city will be placed in charge of a resident manager. The name of the manager was not given out.

The local business has been conducted successfully for many years by Mr. Sidell, who formerly occupied a much smaller yard at Mill and North Bridge streets before moving to the present location.

Probably no retail dealer in the Hudson Valley has kept in closer touch with all phases of the retail coal business than Mr. Sidell. He has been a regular attendant at many of the retail coal association conventions and has at all times been thoroughly conversant with all of the details of the trade.

It is understood that extensive alterations and enlargements will be made to the local yard under the new management.

Mr. Sidell said today that he will spend some time in rest while formulating definite plans for the future. At this time his plans are still uncertain.

Poor Family Will Eat Xmas Dinner

New York, Dec. 23.—The pavements of Hoboken are hard after years of the turf of a New Hampshire farm, and any kind of house and any kind of food are better than no house or no food at all. Especially so, when the air is full of mistletoe and Santa Claus's ring bells at every corner.

So worked the mind of Morris Kidney, 50, early today, as accompanied by his wife and three children and freighted with the over-stuffed bags of another generation, he toiled through the Hoboken back streets. His three acre farm had just been sold or seized—he did not say which, and the farmer and his family, after a job hunting trek which started in Boston, had come to the New Jersey port.

Christmas was only a day away and they had not eaten for thirty-six hours. They were tired, and the children were too cold for tears.

A chauffeur who called himself "Johnny Rags"—he might have said Santa Claus—found them and brought them to a station house. District court Judge William J. Hanley herded the folks from New Hampshire into a restaurant for a steaming hot supper. Captain of Police Thomas Garrick procured hotel accommodations for them, and Gerard Fair, passenger representative of the shipping board, fixed it so that they would have Christmas dinner aboard one of the vessels in the harbor.

Another "Jazz" Murder in N. Y.

Harry Hynes is Murdered in Alleged "Speakeasy" When He Passes Remark About Pretty Bobbed Haired Girl.

New York, Dec. 23.—Another "jazz" murder was recorded today when a bobbed-haired blond girl and a youth were being sought by police in connection with the slaying of Harry Hynes in an alleged "speakeasy" haunted by the younger set in Brooklyn.

Hynes, alleged bartender, passed a remark about the pretty bobbed-haired girl. This was resented by her escort, who drew a knife, stabbed Hynes, and then calmly left the place with his girl companion.

The alleged "speakeasy" where Hynes was murdered was a "pleasure spot" for high school and college boys and boys, according to police. Neighbors reported rows of automobiles were parked outside the rendezvous nightly.

Two youths in the apartment were arrested on a technical charge of loitering after being questioned by the district attorney. They said they were Robert Callahan and Lawrence Coyle.

Fred's Screen Star Dies.

New York, Dec. 23.—Mort Thurnham, pretty screen star, former Mack Sennett bathing beauty and one time leading woman for William S. Hart in western dramas, is dead today, following a two week's siege of pneumonia.

Stability Seen In Statistics of 1925 Business

Banker In Business Review Says If Business Stability Is To Continue Conservation Must Be Maintained—No Speculation In Commodities.

(By Arthur Reynolds, president Continental and Commercial National Bank of Chicago.) (Written for International News Service.)

New York, Dec. 23.—American business before the war had a way of expanding and contracting every three or four years. Business men got the habit of thinking of ups and downs rather than stabilization. It is not surprising, therefore, that "prosperity" and "depression" are words that come easily, while "stability" has an uncertain sound.

Stability Registered.

But 1925 registered stability, if anything. Manufacturing output held steady. Trade was very active, although forward buying was conservative and inventories were kept in hand. Credit conditions showed no tendency to become erratic. Money was relatively easy.

No Speculation.

To be sure, speculation in stocks and real estate reached a high level, but this speculative attitude did not carry over into the field of ordinary business. We have not seen speculation in commodities, or inventories piling up, or prices getting higher and higher, or factories running overtime. Whether the word comes readily or not "stability" sums up the story told by the statistics of business.

Impressed As Banker.

One factor, probably more than any other, has caused a change from the "good old days"—the federal reserve system. I am not unmindful of the stabilization of currencies abroad, the operation of the Dawes plan or the signing of the Locarno treaties. Last spring I was criticized for stating that French government finances were unsound. In the midst of war we may be inclined toward a nationalistic rather than an international way of thinking. But as a banker I am impressed, perhaps too much impressed, by the relation of money to business.

Federal Reserve System.

The greater reserve of credit in the Federal Reserve system and the operation of the Reserve banks seemed to be a key both to conditions in 1923 and prospects for 1924.

Credits should be plentiful, at reasonable rates, for proper business purposes after the turn of the year, unless the federal reserve authorities should take some action which might interfere.

Again, money rates should not be high enough to hamper business during the first half of 1926. But the policy of the Reserve authorities is an unknown that business men should watch.

I anticipate sound, active business in the winter and spring but believe that if business stability is to continue, business men must maintain their attitude of conservation.

Believe Girl Died of Fright

Leominster, Mass., Dec. 23.—Was Miss Lena Leblanc, young bride to be, frightened to death, dying from a shock and pitching into Leominster Lake, where her body was found?

This was the latest theory today in the

Scientists Study Riddle of Sex

Russian Savant's Test That Distinguished Male and Female Blood Is Studied—London Scientists Seek to Show Chemical Composition Causes Difference.

London, Dec. 23.—Dr. Julian Huxley, of the University of London, has invited American scientists to cooperate with their British colleagues in solving the "riddle of sex."

Referring to recent investigations of Dr. Manolov, a Russian, concerning the sex problem, Dr. Huxley states that if Manolov's views are proven "it could be said that evidence has been found that maleness and femaleness, throughout both the plant and animal kingdoms, are dependent upon some fundamental difference in chemical composition. It is hoped that chemists here and abroad will endeavor to repeat Manolov's experiments."

Tests Are Confirmed.

Although Dr. Manolov's sex inquiries were completed some time ago, they have remained inaccessible to most research workers in other countries. Some of his results have become available, however, to two investigators of the Department of Genetics of the Carnegie Institution of the United States, M. Demerec and Sophia Salina. They have translated Manolov's statements and are said to be almost able to confirm them.

Manolov, according to the understanding of scientists here, has found a reaction by which it is possible to distinguish female blood from male. His test, which is a chemical one, is composed of various reagents, and is at first sight said to be reminiscent of ancient alchemical formulas. To three cubic centimetres of blood quantities of various solutions were added within given times.

One Lost Color.

In due course, the male blood became colorless while the female blood retained its reddish color.

In Dr. Manolov's opinion the coloring substance of the blood is responsible for the different male and female reactions. Since chlorophyll, the pigment which gives vegetable matter its green color, is closely related to haemoglobin, the coloring matter of human blood, he tried to obtain a similar reaction with bisexual plants. Positive results are said to have been obtained, solutions from male plants becoming colorless and those from female plants retaining their color.

Experiments are now being made to confirm Manolov's results with sheep, mice, pigeons, flies and other plants.

CHRISTMAS SERVICES AT IMMANUEL CHURCH

The children's Christmas service will be held on Thursday, December 24, at 7 p. m.

There will be but one service on Christmas Day in German at 10:30 a. m. The special music for this service will be:

Soprano solo with violin obligato—"O Holy Night"..... R. Adam
Miss Dorothy Koch and Gustav Koch
Christmas Cantata..... Brewer
Immanuel Mixed Choir.

For Sunday, December 27, preparations are being made for a service to be held at the City Home at 4 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend this service.

SAMSONVILLE.

Samsonville, Dec. 23.—The Christmas entertainment of the Sunday school will be held on Sunday, December 27, at 2:30 and will consist of singing by the school, recitations and solos by members of the Sunday school. Mr. Davis, the superintendent, requests all the parents to be present. All welcome to attend.

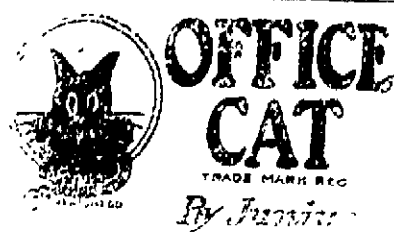
The Rev. and Mrs. S. S. Robbins called at F. N. Davis's one night last week.

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CHRISTMAS GIFTS

AARON COHEN

48 Main St., Kingston, N. Y.



OFFICE CAT

It is the spring a young woman is lancy also.

The Ark wasn't the only institution that contained a little of everything. There's the drug store.

"They used to carry him in—Now they're carrying him out," wept the disconsolate widow sadly.

"There's one person that agrees with me" said the cannibal.

Sambo—Rastus, why is it you call you baby "Static?"

Rastus—'Cause he alius butts in when Ah'm broadcastin' to the old wumman.

The radio has worked one great advantage to apartment dwellers. It has furnished more clothes lines on the roof.

Bulletin.

Aces Wild, Dec. 20.—"Just before we got to the railroad crossing," said Simp W. Gnitwitt, feebly, at the hospital today following the ac-

cident, "we had idled down to 65 miles an hour."

It might be worse. Suppose every law required a special set of enforcement officers.

Gone, But Not Forgotten.

Dear heart, do you ever remember When we our twain love did plight In a love that was deep as the ocean. But brief as a midsummer night; The morn of that day we were strangers;

We met 'neath the moon's witching beams; But ere the last star had waned, love,

You were gone, like a creature in dreams.

Come back like a ghost of that day, love,

Its pleasure, its glamour, its pain; I've something to say to you, dearest,

If ere I should meet you again. But if to remain in your exile, You think after all it were best—

Just send back my gold watch and chain, dear.

And I will forgive you the rest.

A great many people quarrel about religion who never practice it.

At any rate, the fellow who builds nothing but air castles never has to pay any tax on them.

What has become of the old-fashioned mother who used to spend as

much time scrutinizing her beaux as she now does in selecting the new felt hat?

"I refuse to swear," said the girl witness when the clerk asked her to raise her right hand.

"What kind of a flapper are you, anyhow?" asked the judge.

Fashion says skirts are to be shorter for spring. That will put the waist-line about on a line with the hem of the skirt.

The height of a small boy's ambition is about six feet.

According to the experts, the next war will be short but gassedly.

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WEST SAUGERTIES.

West Saugerties, Dec. 23.—Mr. and Mrs. Noga spent Tuesday evening of last week with Jacob Rogers family.

Mrs. Pandolphi was taken seriously ill on Thursday evening of last week. Dr. Gifford of Saugerties is attending her. She is slightly better at present writing.

Helva Hansen of Pine Grove was the guest last week, Wednesday night of Viola Burton, going with the family to the entertainment at the Club House.

Mr. and Mrs. Gunderson of Blue Mountain spent Tuesday evening of

last week with Jacob Rogers family. Paul Pandolphi of New York city spent Saturday and Sunday with his mother.

Mrs. Edward Hommel and Miss Lottie Nurnberg were shoppers in Saugerties on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Carn, Mrs. Marjorie Osborne and Mrs. David Myer were Kingston shoppers on Friday.

Mrs. Henry Burton and daughter Thelda spent Saturday in Saugerties. Mrs. Lottie Myer was a visitor in Saugerties on Saturday.

Sigrid Hansen of Pine Grove spent the week end with Viola Burton. Both girls attended the Christmas entertainment at Centerville Church on Sunday evening.

PINE HILL.

Pine Hill, Dec. 23.—Marshall Winchell, who is employed with the American Express Company at Kingston, spent Sunday in town with his parents.

Mrs. Harry Johnson of Kingston was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry France last Saturday.

Morton Burdard of Oneonta was in town last Saturday.

Miss Mary Talbot, teacher of the primary department of the village school will leave town Wednesday and spend the holidays with her parents at Poughkeepsie.

Two children of Mr. and Mrs. Max Gross have died in New York during the past three weeks. Mr. Gross has a home at Pine Hill and conducts a

shoe shop here during the summer and had accepted employment in New York for the winter and had taken his family with him.

The village schools close Wednesday and will remain closed until after the holidays.

F. D. Care went to Schenectady Tuesday morning after his mother, who went there some time ago for an operation.

N. E. Crosby who has been seriously ill during the past three weeks is slowly recovering under the care of Dr. Gross of Phenicia.

MT. TREMPER.

Mt. Tremper, Dec. 23.—The Mt. Tremper Grange elected its officers for the coming year at the last regular meeting. Ariste E. De Silva was unanimously re-elected as master. The other officers will be filled as follows: Overseer, Harry Ecker; lecturer, Charles B. Ross; steward, Frank Carl; chaplain, Charles F. Zinckgraf; treasurer, Mrs. Carlton Hoyt; secretary, Miss Beatrice Zinckgraf; assistant steward, Richard Byron; gatekeeper, Grant Lane; Flora, Mrs. George Byron; Pomona, Miss Iola Riseley; Ceres, Kathleen Riseley; lady assistant steward, Mrs. Frank Carl.

Installation of officers will take place at the next regular meeting on Friday, January 8, 1926. A number of new applications for membership have been received by the Grange, and they will be acted upon in the near future.

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XMAS HEADQUARTERS FOR RADIO WARREN'S

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Roundout National Bank of Kingston, for the election of Directors will be held at the banking house, 30 Ferry Street in the City of Kingston, on Tuesday, January 12, 1926, between the hours of 11 a. m. and 12 noon.

H. D. FAGER, Cashier.

Tuesday evening, December 29th at eight o'clock, the Board of Fire Commissioners will receive bids from responsible local painters for painting and decorating the interior of Wiltwyck Fire Station, Fair street. Specifications on file at Wiltwyck Fire Station.

Fresh Killed Fancy Turkeys, lb. 63c, Ducks 44c, Geese 42c, Chickens 45c, Fowls 42c

RIBBON CANDY, PEANUT BRITTLE, HARD MIXED,

lb. 20c; 5 lbs. 95c

CHOCOLATE CREAMS, FRENCH CREAMS,

GUM DROPS, lb. 23c

FANCY LARGE SMYRNA FIGS, lb. 28c

DROMEDARY DATES, pkg. 23c

NUTS

Fancy Fresh Mixed Nuts, lb. 30c

Bright New England Walnuts, lb. 25c

Diamond Cal. Walnuts, lb. 35c

Large Washed Brazil Nuts, lb. 29c

Hazel Nuts, lb. 32c

Soft Shell Almonds, lb. 32c

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Extra Sifted Sweet Peas, Golden Bantam Corn, Solid Pack Tomatoes, Tiny Lima Beans, Tiny Rosebud Beets, Small Stringless Refugee Green or Wax Beans, Fancy Succotash—The best vegetables packed in N. Y. State.

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CANADA DRY GINGER ALE

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(Resembles Champagne)

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Jersey Pumpkin, No. 3 can. 15c

Heinz Wet Mince Meat, 1 lb - can. 29c

2 lb. can. 49c

Heinz Wet Mince Meat, glass jar. 39-69c

Sunmaid Seedless Raisins, 2 pkgs. 25c

Sunmaid Puffed Raisins 15c

Fancy Evap. Peaches, lb. 28c

Sunkist Navel Oranges, doz., 50-60c	Med. Size Grapefruit, 4-6 for 25c	Sunkist Lemons, doz., 35c	Fancy Apples, 4 qts., 30c	Jumbo Celery Hearts, bunch, 18c	Iceberg Lettuce, head, 15c	Fancy Red Cranberries, qt., 20c	Sweet Potatoes, 3 lbs., 25c	Blue Goose Grapefruit, large, 3 for 25c	Red or White Grapes, lb., 25c	Blue Goose Florida Oranges, doz., 30-40-50c
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CLUSTER TABLE RAISINS, pkg. 40c

SWEET PICKLES, bot. 19c

HEINZ CATSUP, 19c; lrg. bot. 29c

POP CORN, 2 pkgs. 25c

POP CORN ON EAR, 3 lbs. 25c

Just Received a Carload of Fancy, Smooth, Medium Size Fine Quality White Maine

Potatoes pk. 75c

TANGERINES, doz. 50c

Extra Large Queen Olives, lrg. 15 oz. bottle 39c

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Maraschino Cherries, 2 for large bottle 25c

Pomp. Pure Olive Oil, bottle 25c

1/2 pint can. 29c

Pure Vanilla Extract, full 2 oz. bot. 29c

Easton's Mayonnaise, 1/2 pt. jar. 23c

Delmonte Sliced Pineapple, lrg. can. 29c

Delmonte Crushed Pineapple. 23c

Delmonte Peaches, Melba, halves, large can. 29c

R. & R. Plum Pudding, 1 lb. can. 29c

2 lb. can. 49c

Heinz Fig Pudding 45c

Orange Marmalade or Pure Fruit Jams, all flavors, 1 lb. jar. 35c

Ulster County PORK

Fresh Shoulders 22c

Leg Pork, whole, lb. 28c

Loin or Rib Roast Pork, lb. 30c

Belly Pork, lb. 25c

Pure Sausage, lb. 32c

Pork Chops, lb. 30-35c

Headcheese, lb. 20c

Pot Roast Beef, lb. 28c

Hamburg Steak, lb. 25c

Sirloin or Round Steak, lb. 35c

Roast Veal, lb. 35c

Leg of Lamb, lb. 40c

Smoked Tenderloin, lb. 40c

Calla Hams, lb. 24c

Reg. Hams, whole, lb. 32c

Sauerkraut, 2 qts. 25c

Plymouth Bacon, lb. 30c

FORST'S

Bacon by strip, lb. 38c

Hams, whole, lb. 32c

CHEESE

Pimento, Cream, Nippy, Limburger, 2 for. 25c

Swiss Gruyere Cheese, whole. 45c

Swiss Gruyere Cheese, portions. 55c

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Pictureque Bandeau
Adorns Lady's Tresses

The bandeau is now, as usual, in the fashionable costume as the necklace or the fan. Novelties are shown almost weekly. Some of the new bandeaux for evening dress are pictureque in the extreme. They have a "fairy princess" look, and are of sufficient significance in design to form an important item of dress. The metallic note is used in bandeaux in a decorative and becoming manner. A slender fillet of tinsel ribbon, lightly wired, is the frame for a row of blossoms, ordinarily single roses, sewn on in graduated order. The flowers are made of metallic cloth, very sheer; gold, silver or tinted, or of metallized ribbon in some flower shade. They are conventionalized, with no attempt at reproducing the lines of the natural blossom, and are appliqued flat. The fillet ends are tied in a little bow at the back of the coiffure.

Other regal bandeaux are formed of pearls, sometimes combined with brilliants, in designs that reproduce the diffidens of royalty. They are almost as impressive. Some are wide and rather ponderous, although made of imitation jewels on the slenderest foundation, with exceedingly delicate workmanship, flashy in effect. Very different are those bandeaux of very small silk flowers, sewn on a single narrow silver tinsel ribbon, on the single row of pearls or brilliants. Each of these is fashioned to fit a certain style of head dress and costume. The tins are for the formal coiffure and the plain band for the various "bobs." Some bandeaux of metallized gauze or ribbon or jewel-sprinkled tulle appear like swathing bandages. For occasional daytime wear pretty silk scarves are wound about in turban fashion and bands of needlework and passementerie are seen on some chic bobbed heads. Fancy combs are individual and some lovely, enormous ones of Spanish origin are worn with period gown.

Scarf to Match New Bag
With Drawstring Top

A hand-woven bag with a drawstring top and scarf to match is shown for winter sports. The long scarfs with long fringed ends come in all the new colors and combinations. The bags are light and large enough to carry the necessary articles. Because they may be hung on the wrist they are produced as a sports adjunct. Bag carried in the hand get in the way and make it necessary to expose the hands. To give an added touch of color a bright contrasting motif is woven in silk on one side of the bag. Sports frocks with tailored neck and sleeves call for special cuff links this season. Fancy enamel and chased gold are discarded for the jeweled set. For sports outfits, in all the new colors, nothing could be more appropriate than links of seed pearls with jewel centers, emeralds, topazes, amethysts or jet. A short, stubby bar pin of seed pearls, set with a matching stone, completes the ensemble effect.

Coat of Crocheted Silk
Is Used in Many Ways

A brilliantly colored novelty coat of crocheted silk has many uses. It may be worn over light dresses, and also in the house as a lounging robe. It has no lining, trimmings, buttons, buttons, only a short narrow collar of gossamer ribbon in a neutral shade of beige. Straight lines and a wrap around effect comprise the silhouette. The color scheme is the important feature of the coat. Modern art is the theme, depicted in abstract designs on what appears to be a futuristic background.

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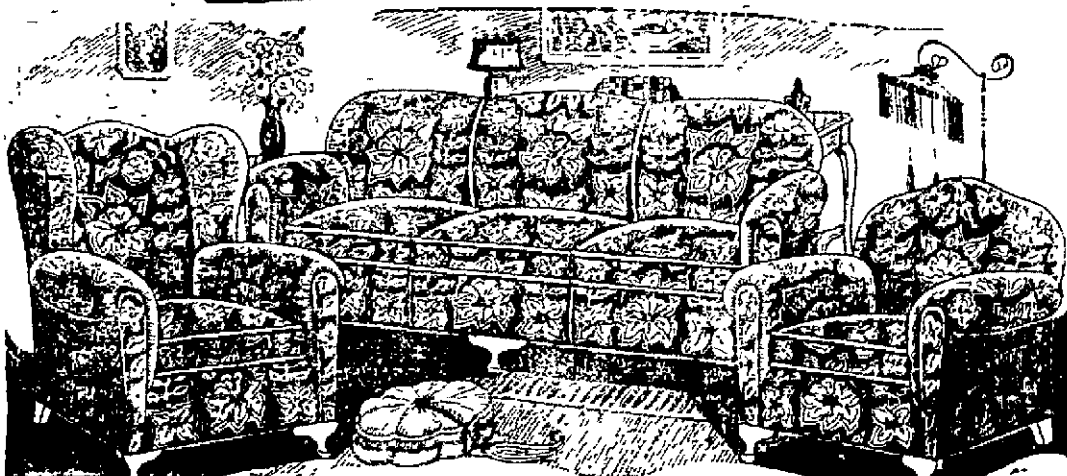


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The Gift Supreme!



3 Exquisite Pieces in High Grade Velour

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS. In pursuance of an order of His Honor, J. R. Sullivan, Judge of Ulster County, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Coradellus Andrew Haver, late husband of Coradellus Andrew Haver, late of the Town of Shandaken, County of Ulster, deceased, intestate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Frank Haver, the administrator of the estate of said deceased, at Mt. Tremper, in the said Town of Shandaken, Ulster County, N. Y., on or before the 1st day of June, 1926.

FRANK HAVAR,
Administrator of the Estate of Coradellus Andrew Haver, late husband of Coradellus Andrew Haver, late of the Town of Shandaken, County of Ulster, deceased, intestate.

HARRY M. FLEMING, Attorney, 22 Ferry St., Kingston, N. Y.

Is Flying a Profession?

Young men of good education, who look with longing at ships flying high in the air, often ask whether flying is a profession. It would appear from the 1924 Canadian report on civil aviation that it is. At any rate, the air board of Canada has taken the wise stand of giving licenses to pilots and requiring certain definite qualifications.

Airplane pilots are subdivided into private and commercial pilots. The former are not authorized to fly for hire. Each class is again subdivided into three classes, planes of 1,000 pounds or less, planes of 1,000 pounds or less, and heavy planes of over 1,000 pounds. All classes of pilots are required to pass an examination on the construction, maintenance and functions of the aircraft, its engine and accessories—Scientific American.

Enrollment of Voters In Political Parties

How The 25,387 Voters Who Enrolled This Year in Ulster County Are Divided Among The Three Parties in The Various Election Districts.

The enrollment of voters in political parties by election districts in Ulster county shows a total enrollment of 25,387, as stated in The Freeman on Monday, a decrease of 1,089 from last year.

The city of Kingston furnishes almost one-third of the total enrollment, the total number of enrolled voters in the city of Kingston being 8,337 as compared to 17,050 in the districts outside the city.

The complete enrollment by election districts in the three parties is as follows:

TOWNS AND CITY	Republican	Democrat	Socialist	Total
Denning	1 41	62	0	103
do	2 20	44	0	64
Ecopus	1 104	241	0	345
do	3 74	181	0	255
do	4 98	250	0	348
do	5 24	183	0	207
Gardner	1 54	106	0	160
do	1 112	110	1	223
Harsenburgh	1 22	58	0	80
Hurley	1 23	64	0	87
do	1 86	118	0	204
Kingston	2 79	179	0	258
Lloyd	1 35	29	0	64
do	1 60	108	2	170
do	2 76	179	0	255
Marbletown	3 21	109	0	130
do	1 49	181	2	232
do	2 50	135	0	185
do	3 299	71	1	371
Marlborough	4 77	112	0	189
do	1 92	286	0	378
do	2 94	169	0	263
do	3 168	139	0	307
New Paltz	4 122	139	1	262
do	1 146	287	4	437
Olive	2 133	271	0	404
do	1 146	73	0	219
do	2 148	94	0	242
Plattekill	3 52	89	0	141
do	1 126	188	1	294
do	2 106	18	0	124
Rocaster	3 59	219	0	278
do	1 226	143	0	369
do	2 129	158	1	288
Rosendale	3 56	88	0	144
do	1 161	169	6	336
do	2 114	176	0	290
Saugerties	3 101	182	0	283
do	1 167	406	1	564
do	2 148	300	0	448
do	3 157	280	1	438
do	4 137	346	1	484
do	5 88	193	0	281
do	6 206	67	0	273
do	7 70	193	0	263
do	8 203	71	0	274
Shandaken	9 54	134	0	188
do	1 128	250	2	380
do	2 25	31	1	57
Shawangunk	3 88	218	2	308
do	1 87	182	1	270
do	2 188	47	0	235
do	3 121	126	0	247
Ulster	1 56	18	0	74
do	2 77	214	2	293
do	3 10	20	0	130
do	4 64	68	1	133
Wawarsing	5 75	162	0	237
do	6 51	98	2	151
do	7 58	59	0	117
do	8 55	133	0	188
do	9 190	195	0	385
Woodstock	1 36	233	4	273
do	2 45	189	1	235
Total for Towns	6740	10269	41	17050
City of Kingston	1 155	438	0	593
First Ward, Election Dist. No.	1 155	396	1	552
Second Ward, Election Dist. No.	2 191	524	3	718
Third Ward, Election Dist. No.	1 89	207	1	297
Fourth Ward, Election Dist. No.	2 118	227	2	347
Fifth Ward, Election Dist. No.	1 122	130	1	253
Sixth Ward, Election Dist. No.	2 120	125	0	245
Seventh Ward, Election Dist. No.	1 209	326	2	537
Eighth Ward, Election Dist. No.	1 55	64	1	120
Ninth Ward, Election Dist. No.	2 111	71	0	182
Tenth Ward, Election Dist. No.	1 119	162	0	281
Eleventh Ward, Election Dist. No.	2 195	133	0	328
Twelfth Ward, Election Dist. No.	1 208	266	1	475
Thirteenth Ward, Election Dist. No.	1 265	371	1	637
Fourteenth Ward, Election Dist. No.	1 109	307	1	417
Fifteenth Ward, Election Dist. No.	2 104	185	0	289
Sixteenth Ward, Election Dist. No.	1 166	543	2	711
Seventeenth Ward, Election Dist. No.	1 239	460	0	699
Eighteenth Ward, Election Dist. No.	2 129	260	0	489
Nineteenth Ward, Election Dist. No.	1 86	75	2	163
Total for City	2245	5374	18	8337
Total	9685	15643	59	25387

WAR DEPARTMENT RADIO NET SAVES \$155,698 IN YEAR

Eight Hundred Messages Daily Are Dispatched in Hook-up of Nine Corps Areas.

Washington.—Disclosure that the "war department radio net," linking up the nine corps areas and the department in a communication system operated exclusively by military personnel, originated in 1923, as a feature of "plans to insure communication with corps area headquarters and certain critical cities in case of failure or destruction of the commercial wire system," is contained in the annual report of Maj. Gen. C. M. Salsman, chief signal officer of the army.

The net was established three years ago, the report said, and it has since been employed "to excellent advantage in the training of signal corps personnel." In addition to handling a heavy burden of departmental telegraphic business, therefore, it is intended to commercial communication.

General Salsman estimated that, while the original five stations of the net transmitted about 50 official messages daily, each numbering about 40 words, the present system of 12 stations

stations and 60 subsidiary points handled approximately 800 messages a day.

The rapid growth of traffic was said to have been brought about by the chief co-ordinator, in an endeavor to "consolidate government communication activities in order to eliminate duplication of effort and carry out the retrenchment policy of the President."

In addition to handling its own, the war department transmits the business of more than 12 other government departments and bureaus, and, in cooperation with the navy, which handles all off-shore radio business, as the army handles in-shore messages, even for the navy, a system has been established. General Salsman said, fully capable to handle and supervise the communication activities during an emergency.

The report showed that in the fiscal year 1924-25 more than 2,000,000 words in messages were transmitted with a saving of \$155,698 to the government in commercial tolls.

Founded by Women

The famous French academy grew out of an exclusive literary circle of women formed about 1615 by the Marquise de Rambouillet for the purpose of rescuing the French language from the vulgarity which characterized it.

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79c
Warm, fleeced lined cape skins in dark brown shade. Flare gauntlet wrist with lacing. The kind of glove all boys like.

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Claims British Prize for Inventing "Tank"

New York.—The United States is a claimant for some of the \$150,000 prize money offered by the British government to the inventor of the "tank." Francis J. Lowe, for many years a tractor salesman and now a metropolitan real estate operator, gives Edwin Wheelock, a tractor engineer of Winona, Minn., credit for the fathering of the machines that were a sensation of the world war.

"In April, 1915," Mr. Lowe said recently, "I went to Europe to sell some caterpillar tractors, and took with me some blueprints of a proposed 60,000 pound armored tractor made by Mr. Wheelock. Maj. Wilson, who took the plans, said he would let me know if we were to get any orders, but I never heard from him."

Wheelock then requested Lowe to go to London and find out what had happened. He was told, he says, that under the terms of the government award only British inventors could get it.

The first prize court was unable to determine who was the real inventor of the tank and a second hearing has been ordered.

Lure of America Still Strong in Emerald Isle

Dublin.—America's lure for sons and daughters of old Erin is held largely responsible for decay of the native Irish language.

A government commission seeking to find the best means of preserving the language found that 75 per cent of the girls and boys born in Irish-speaking districts look upon the United States as their future home.

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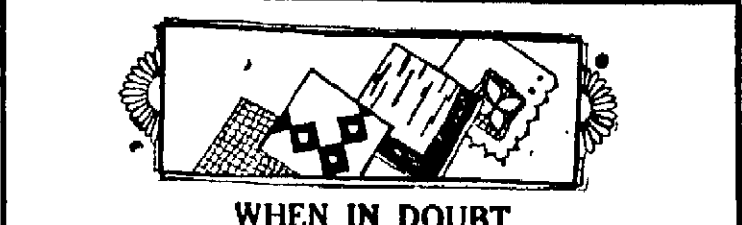
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Silk and Lisle Hosiery..... \$1.00	Leather House Slippers..... \$2.50 to \$3.50	Arctics..... \$2.50 to \$4.50
Satin Boudoir Comfy Slippers..... \$2.50 and \$3.00	Dress Oxfords..... \$7.50	Dress Shoes..... \$2.50 to \$6.00
Felt Comfy Slippers..... \$1.50-\$2	Business and Semi-Dress Oxfords..... \$5.00 to \$10.50	School Shoes..... \$1.25 to \$5.00
Beautiful Evening Slippers..... \$6.00 to \$10.00	Pure Silk Hosiery..... 75c	High Top Shoes..... \$3.50 to \$6.50
Handsome Street Pumps..... \$5-\$10	Silk and Art Hosiery..... 50c & 75c	Oxfords..... \$2.50 to \$5.50
Sturdy Oxfords..... \$4.50 to \$9.50	Silk and Lisle Hosiery..... 50c	Pumps..... \$1.75 to \$6.50
Cantilever Footwear..... \$9.50 to \$12.00	High Top Shoes..... \$5.50 to \$9	Rubbers, Polishing Sets, etc.
Buckle Arctics..... \$3 to \$5.50	Rubber Boots..... \$4.50 to \$6.50	
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Cantilever Footwear for both ladies and men. The greatest of all comfort giving footwear for that member of your family you wish most comfortable. Attractive in design makes them more acceptable as gifts.

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312 Wall Street.

Platinum
The geological survey says that most platinum is found native in placer deposits and in black sand. Some is found in ores in some of the mines in the yellow pine districts of Nevada, also in the Hamilton mine in Wyoming. As much as more than 60 per cent of the platinum content is taken from the ore.

Ice "Telescope"
Nansen (one of the inventors of the telescope) was led to the discovery of optic glasses by observing some snowdrifts of pine upon the ice who were one of their copy books, rolled up in the shape of tubes, to look at each other, to which they sometimes added pieces of ice at the end to give them a better view.

Distinctive Motion
Harmonic motion is motion executed by the foot of a perpendicular set ball on the diameter of a circle from a particle moving with uniform velocity in that circle. It may also be defined as a motion in which the path of a particle is a straight line and the motion when it turns a corner and returns.

BURNS and SCALDS
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DOLLY'S CHIMNEY

Dolly was a little girl. She had been named Dolly as a pet name for she was just as dear and dainty as a pretty little dolly. And it sounded affectionate to call her that. It just sounded the way she was, too.

There was an enormous chimney in the living room of the house where Dolly lived. Oh, it was a huge chimney.

Santa had, several years ago, written her a letter and had told her what a pleasant chimney it was for him to use, so big and easy.

And it was such a big chimney that you knew the messages went straight up to Santa Claus through it.

For Dolly had many messages to send.

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"Santa Claus," she called. "It's getting close to Christmas time, and this is Dolly speaking."

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"And may I please have a new sled this Christmas, Santa?"

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"I had the little green one you brought me when I was very young. I was only three years old when you brought it to me. And I still love it, and it is behind my bed and I have my dolls sleep on it."

"Of course I have a cushion on it so it won't be too hard for them and in the winter I have that warm little quilt over them you gave me once and in the summer a little light quilt my mother made for me."

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"You gave me a beautiful scrap book once and I keep all my most precious things in it. I won a prize last year and it was in the paper—at least I mean my name was in the paper—and my daddy cut that out and I put it in my scrap book."

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GAS BUGGIES—What's This—The Green Eyed Monster?



THE KITCHEN CABINET

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Abolish fear and you can do anything whatever you wish.

The man who knows it can't be done counts the risk, not the reward.—E. Hubbard.

TASTY SANDWICHES

A hot sandwich may take the place of a main dish and furnish a most satisfying one. There are many of them which are very appetizing. We all know the hot dog and the hamburger sandwich which still hold its popular taste wherever served in the open.

Beef Steak Sandwiches.—Have round steak cut three-fourths of an inch thick, trim off the fat and cut in uniform pieces to serve as sandwich filling. Pound with the edge of a saucer until in shreds but not separated. Cook in a hissing hot pan that has been greased with the fat. Season well with salt and pepper and spread with softened butter. Lay on a thin slice of bread, cover with another, both being spread with butter, and serve very hot.

Milwaukee Club Sandwiches.—Toast lightly two slices of sandwich bread and one slice of rye bread. Arrange a slice of bread on a plate covered with a paper doily; on this place three fried oysters, spread with tartare sauce, cover with a piece of toasted rye bread; on this lay two thin slices of chicken or turkey breast spread with mayonnaise or tartare sauce, then two crisp slices of bacon. Cover with a third slice of toast. Garnish with a slice of tomato on which is set a spoonful of mayonnaise. Serve these sandwiches, hot, on Sunday night for supper, with coffee. Remove the crusts from the bread before toasting.

Sweet Sandwiches.—Mix thoroughly one-half cupful of finely chopped onion, ginger, half cupful of stone-chopped dates, one-half cupful of finely chopped pecan meats, season with a pinch of salt, moisten with the ginger syrup, or orange marmalade chopped. Spread on saltines or thin slices of brown bread spread with creamed butter. Serve with hot chocolate or cocoa.

Hot Toasted Cheese Sandwiches.—Cut white bread into thin slices and toast lightly on one side, cover the untoasted side with a thin slice of soft cheese, sprinkle with salt and cayenne. Set into the oven long enough to melt the cheese. Serve with head lettuce and French dressing.

Nellie Maxwell

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Deeds Recently Recorded With The County Clerk.

The following deeds have been filed in the Ulster county clerk's office:

Abram Levine and others of New York to Philip Efron, a parcel of land in the town of Wawarsing. Consideration \$1.

Benjamin Terbusch and wife to Herman Terbusch, a parcel of land in the town of Denning. Consideration \$1.

Lillian Klingberg and Elizabeth Hutton by executrix to John J. Foster and wife, a parcel of land on Third avenue. Kingston. Consideration \$1.

Max Levine and Ida Gorenstein to David Farber, a parcel of land on the westerly side of Chambers street, Kingston. Consideration \$1.

Frances C. Nott to George Hall and Willett L. Burnett and wife of Newburgh, a property in the town of Ulster. Consideration \$5,000.

Lorenzo Vasilic and others to John Haviario of New York, a property in the town of Lloyd. Consideration \$1.

Lottie E. Quick to Mary E. Lane, a parcel of land in the town of Woodstock. Consideration \$1.

Peter A. Burnes of Poughkeepsie to the Ulster Electric Light, Heat and Power Company, a property in the village of Saugerties on the south side of Main street at corner of James street. Kingston. Consideration \$1.

Helen Camp Boetrick and infant, by guardian, to Merritt Every, a parcel of land in Port Ewen. Consideration \$5.

Robert Tuttle to Merritt Every, a parcel of land in Port Ewen. Consideration \$1.

Herman W. Camp and wife to Merritt Every, a parcel of land in Port Ewen. Consideration \$1.

What Looking Tap Costs

As an instance of the importance in avoiding the waste of water, a recent authority states that a single looking tap may mean the loss of 30,000 gallons of water in a year.

A. A. A. SHOWS MOTORISTS ARE NOT RUN RUNNERS

An investigation recently conducted by the American Automobile Association has developed the fact that in many sections of the country prohibition enforcement officials are still annoying motorists and delaying tourists by subjecting them to illegal search.

The A. A. A. herewith announces that the arm of the government charged with enforcement of prohibition, namely, the Treasury Department, is wholly out of sympathy with petty interferences with motor tourists by overzealous officers. Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Andrews in charge of the Prohibition Unit, has found it necessary to issue instructions to 24 regional administrators directing them to concentrate on "Big Game," of which he intimated there is good and plenty.

"It is inconceivable to any thinking person that federal agents should be spending time and money on such work as this when there are so many cases of serious law violation to be handled," said Assistant Secretary Andrews.

This warning, the A. A. A. is informed, was directed at the enforcement officers who have made a habit of holding up motorists on the chance that they may have liquor but without any reasonable cause to believe they have. That such a practice was common is indicated by the fact that the Hoosier Motor Club of Indianapolis found it necessary this season to launch a vigorous campaign warning motorists visiting Indiana of this practice, and at a time when that state was making a bid for motor tourist trade.

Apparently the warning of Chief Justice Taft of the Supreme Court has been in vain, as far as this species of enforcement officer is concerned.

"It would be intolerable and unreasonable," said the Chief Justice, "if a prohibition agent were authorized to stop every automobile on the chance of finding liquor and thus subject all persons using the highways to the inconvenience and indignity of such a search."

ATWATER KENT RADIO WARREN'S

Merry Christmas

Say it with a living room suite and your Christmas will be all the merrier. These beautiful overstuffed suites covered in the finest of cut velours, jacquards and mohairs are now priced so exceedingly low that no home should be without one.

If you are in need of a new rug, or floor covering of any description, we suggest that you take advantage of the sale which we are now running.

Christmas presents should be practical presents, and what could be more practical than a nice junior, bridge or table lamp, or a smoking set, or a card table, or some other piece of novelty furniture.

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FESSENDEN SHIRTS

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A Large Variety

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BATH ROBES

Made in Kingston for

Men \$6.79

Ladies \$3.98 to \$6.75

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All sizes.

MEN'S SCARFS

Cashmere and Silk, the latest designs in Scotch plaids and stripes.

\$2.29 to \$2.98

Beautiful gifts for men.

FESSENDEN SHIRTS

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Special 4 for \$5.00

Neckband and collar attached.

Ladies' Fringed Scarfs

SPECIAL

\$6.59

Beautiful crepe de chine, handsomely embroidered in contrasting colors.

SWEATERS

Sport coat style and Slip-overs

Men's, Ladies', Children's

\$2.29 to \$5.98

FESSENDEN SHIRTS

Broadcloth

Plain colors and fancy designs.

\$2.75, \$3.00, \$3.85, \$4

HANDKERCHIEFS

Handkerchief sets in holiday boxes, hemstitched and embroidered, white or in variety of colors.

LADIES' HOSIERY

Elliott and Ipswich, two of the finest made. All standard shades in silk.

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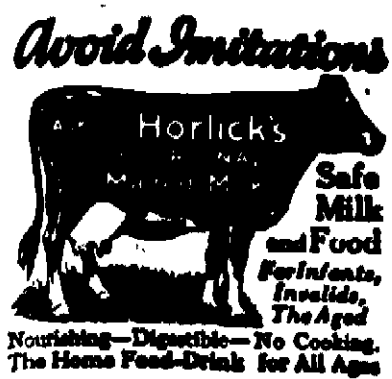
Be Sure to Visit This Broadway Store Before Completing Your Christmas Shopping.

Carl & Fessenden

BROADWAY AT FIELD COURT.

C. S. WOOD

282 WALL STREET.



Charles E. Hughes For Governor

Republican Leaders Feel Certain That Smith Will Be Renominated and Therefore Would Like To See Hughes Run—Much Depends On 1926 Session.

Albany, Dec. 23.—Republican leaders generally are hoping that the 1926 session of the Legislature will result in the nomination next fall of Charles Evans Hughes for Governor, according to word reaching the Capital today.

The most important thing before the coming session will be the reorganization of the state government under Governor Smith's constitutional amendment, adopted at the last election. Mr. Hughes is chairman of the committee now working on the reorganization plan which later will be submitted to the lawmakers.

George K. Morris, Republican state chairman, said recently that there was "much sentiment" upstate for Mr. Hughes for Governor next year. But Morris intimated he believed it would be impossible to secure the consent of the former governor and former secretary of state, to make the gubernatorial fight.

Much will depend, say political observers at the Capitol, on the outcome of the 1926 session of the Legislature as to who will be the candi-

date for Governor on the Republican ticket next year.

Should the reorganizations measures go through to the satisfaction of both Governor Smith and the Republican leaders, it might mean the nomination of either Representative Ogden L. Mills of New York, Colonel Theodore Roosevelt or Joseph A. McGinley of Cheataqua, speaker of the lower house of the Legislature.

A month ago reports appeared to indicate that either Roosevelt or Mills would be the candidate of the Republican party next year. After Mr. Hughes accepted the chairmanship of the reorganization committee, his name was mentioned more often in connection with the gubernatorial nomination.

The G. O. P. leaders now have reached that point where they feel certain that Governor Smith will be renominated by his party next year. For this reason, it was said they would like to see Mr. Hughes nominated, feeling he is the strongest man in their party.

Learning From History

We may gather out of history a policy no less wise than eternal, by the comparison and application of other men's forepassed miseries with our own like errors and ill deservings.

ANTIQUES AS
CHRISTMAS GIFTS
AARON COHEN

48 Main St., Kingston, N. Y.

Three Children Are Suffocated

Buffalo, N. Y., Dec. 23.—While their mother was Christmas shopping, two boys and a girl were asphyxiated in their home, No. 93 Holland avenue, Lancaster, a suburb, by smoke from a fire they kindled with wall paper and matches in an upstairs room. The dead are Gertrude Weiss, five years old, and her brothers, Joseph, four years old, and Rene, three years old.

Is Ancient Story

"The Lay of Havelock the Dane," an Anglo-Danish story, written some time before 1300, tells of the son of the Danish king set adrift at sea by treachery and rescued by an English fisherman.

Wars for Silesia

Frederick the Great of Prussia waged three wars against Austria to gain possession of Silesia. The first was from 1740 to 1742; the second in 1744 and 1745; and the third from 1756 to 1763.

English Harvest Customs

The Kermababy, a harvest custom observed in northern England and Scotland, is made of the last gleanings of the field, which are bound together to represent a human form and dressed up in gay-colored clothes.

POULTRY

PURE BRED POULTRY MOST PROFITABLE

It is often said that pure bred flocks are more profitable than mongrels and there is every reason to believe that they are; but there is one provision that must be taken into consideration; namely, pure bred poultry must be better cared for than are mongrels. Those who do not intend to care for pure breeds properly should stick to mongrels, but given care and attention pure breeds will repay doubly for it as compared with the mongrels.

There are reasons, says D. H. Hall, extension poultry husbandman of Clemson college.

Pure bred poultry will produce a uniform product and will bring a higher price. The eggs from pure breeds are uniform in size, shape and color. When eggs from pure breeds do vary the variation is considerably less than from mongrels.

Pure breeds are faster growers and when grown produce a more uniform flock. There is not a better advertisement for a farm than a flock of pure bred chickens. They will attract more attention than any other form of live stock.

Pure breeds will also lay more eggs if properly handled. This has been proved beyond all doubt by various experiment stations.

Pure bred poultry is also more economical with feed consumption. They lay more eggs, hence they pay more for their feed and give a higher profit.

Pure bred stock and eggs can be sold for breeding purposes. This will be a good source of income for the pure bred breeder. Mongrels and mongrel eggs can be sold only for market prices.

Pure breeds can be exhibited in poultry shows and thus compete for prizes. There is nothing like a blue ribbon from a poultry show. Mongrels cannot be placed in a show for prizes.

Pure breeds will create interest in poultry. Who is the enthusiast about poultry in any community? Why, the farmer with the pure bred, of course. Why are you not enthusiastic about your poultry? If you have mongrels that may be the reason. Get pure breeds and be proud of them.

Dubbing Used to Avoid Injury to Hen's Comb

Dubbing to prevent freezing and suffering due to frozen combs has been practiced very successfully in the Purdue university poultry flock. Freezing results in much suffering of the birds and consequently loss in fertility of eggs and hatching results. Dubbing is not new but a remedy breeders of fighting birds have always practiced to prevent injuring of combs and to conserve vigor of the males.

The operation is extremely simple and a sharp razor is used first to cut off the wattles and later to remove the comb starting at the front end. The wattles are cut quite close and the comb reasonably close to the head. The blood will flow freely but if a body fluff feather is held over cut part of the comb coagulation will soon take place and the bleeding cease. Seldom do the birds suffer from the operation and free bleeding should cause no worry. A treated bird should not be placed in an extremely cold room until the wound has healed nor should they be placed together.

It is well not to practice the operation until after the birds have been selected for the breeding pen in order to permit normal appearance of the head to be a guide in making selections.

Hen's Drinking Water

Preparations advertised as being effective in ridding hens of lice simply by placing the preparation in the drinking water or in the feed are not generally to be recommended for this purpose. Such material in the drinking water will cause the hens to drink only a limited amount of water and, as a consequence, egg production will be reduced, advises J. H. McAdams, extension poultryman, Kansas State Agricultural college.

The sure method for killing lice at this time of year is to dust the hens thoroughly with sodium fluoride, using the pinch method. Or blue ointment may be used, mixed half and half with vaseline and applying a circle of the ointment around the vent, says McAdams.

Use Well-Shaped Eggs

In selecting eggs to place in an incubator only average-sized well-shaped eggs should be used, as extremely large or small eggs, or eggs that do not conform to normal shape, will hatch a low percentage of chicks of irregular size. Do not delay the starting of the incubator for the first hatching beyond April 1, as the possibilities for profit are much greater with early-hatched chicks than with later ones. The early pullets are the ones that will be fall and winter layers.

For Setting a Hen

For a sitting hen choose one of medium weight such as are found in the American or English breeds. Make the nest at least six inches deep and sixteen inches square. For a nesting material choose something like oat straw, wheat straw, or hay. Make the nest so that the egg will roll apart readily when the hen steps upon them, but not so far that they will roll together if their own accord when the hen leaves the nest. Choose a cool place, set from 11 to 13 eggs.

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Children Should Be Out of Doors

Clothe Youngsters Sensibly and Let Them Run in Winter As in Summer—Is Health Treatment.

"Mushrooms may be improved by being grown under glass, but it works the other way around with children." The state college of home economics at Ithaca advises keeping children outdoors as much as possible both summer and winter to give them the greatest opportunity to develop as they should.

"The ultra-violet rays of sunlight, necessary for proper growth and bone formation, are filtered out by ordinary window glass," says the college. "A kind of glass is made which will let in these rays but at present it is too expensive to be practical. Children can get just as great an amount of this kind of light by outdoor play part of each day, unless the weather is extremely bad."

"Proper clothing will protect a child from the winter cold but parents should not load their children with so much heavy clothing that their movements are hampered. Two or three layers of light or medium weight underwear, a woolen dress or suit, preferably with bloomers, and a well-fitting warm coat and some head covering will probably be needed for ordinary cold days. Warm stockings and stout shoes with rubbers or overshoes when the ground is damp will be sufficient for the milder days. Colder weather may demand leggings and a sweater under the coat but the outer garments should be regulated according to the weather."

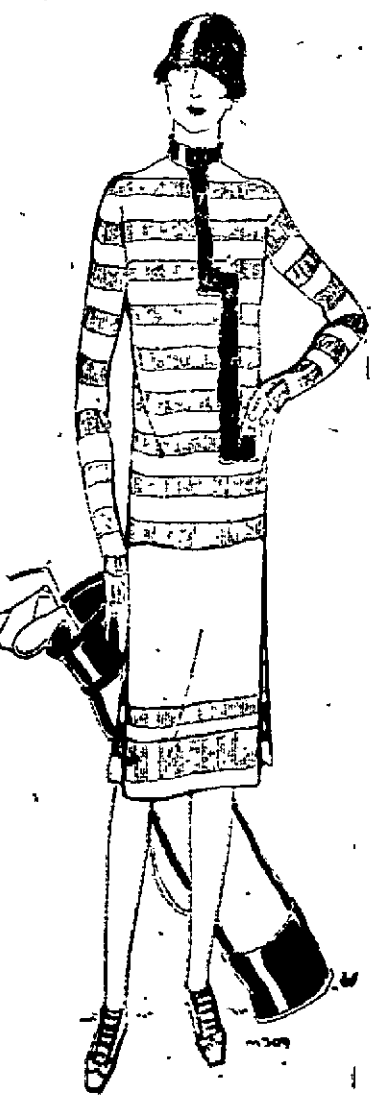
"Properly clad children may play outdoors and get the full benefit of sunlight, fresh air, and exercise all winter long. If they do they are much less likely to need doctoring in the spring to bring back the color to their cheeks."



THE TWO-PIECE FROCK LEADS A GAY NIGHT AS WELL AS A SOBER DAY LIFE.

The success of the two piece dress for day wear is unquestioned. One is beginning to feel that the same may be said of the evening gown made with an overblouse. The smartest ensembles, including either a fashionably hung cape or a smartly cut coat and frock, frequently show the frock in two pieces, one or both of which may be of lace. The combination of velvet and cloth of gold or silver, or of an overblouse of sequins plus beading is approved, for we are living in a season when it is right and proper to combine two, or even more materials, one of which is almost sure to be velvet.

Lanvin struck a popular note with her chartreuse green crepe and silver lame ensemble, the dress of which has a very long, slightly draped jumper, embroidered about



A Zigzag Trimming of Orange Flat Crepe Trims the Striped Jersey Blouse Which is Worn With a White Skirt.

the hips. In reviewing, not only the French models, but others which have attained success this season it certainly cannot be said that the long waistline is passé. True there are frocks which make a point of emphasizing the natural waistline, and some of which appear to be even higher, but with jumpers ending at the hips and lower and with points extending far below the waistline to make a setting for girdles, with bows being tied low and a general sportiness preserved around the hips, it cannot be said that the low line is extinct. This being joyful tidings to the woman who has lost the slenderness of youth.

The skirt continues to be the center of interest and makes the best of its brief existence. There is actually always fulness somewhere, more

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CHRISTMAS REUNIONS AND CHRISTMAS CUSTOMS

Christmas, more than any other time of the year, is a homecoming season and many a family gathers together at this time though separated all the rest of the year. Such a reunion is made more delightful if all the old family customs are kept up even though some of the members have outgrown them. There may be a Christmas tree, stockings hung by the fireplace, Christmas cards or hymns on Christmas eve,

or any other custom which was part of the holiday before the sons and daughters went to other fields. The Christmas feast with its familiar dishes should be as much the same as possible. The decoration, wreaths, holly, mistletoe, garlands, or branches of evergreen should carry out the idea. Some have always put candles in the windows on Christmas Eve—if this was your custom do it again this year—on through you may have given it up for the past few years. If the Christmas customs are a wholeheartedly desired for the season, the Christmas spirit and Christmas cheer will come of themselves.

often at front or sides, even one side, rather than at the back. The furor of bustles and backfulness has somewhat subsided. Hems continue to be gracefully uneven, unbalanced one might say, and there is a strong partiality for decorative aprons, bordered with fur or velvet, adding much distinction and grace to the silhouette.

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"THEY ARE WEARING"—
Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.

Paris, France.—Mrs. Eli Joseph, of New York, has a chic ensemble in green, just a shade lighter than bottle, with the merest hint of shapings about the hem and a wide collar coming down in two points like a tippet of pale gray fox. The coat is of cloth, and the dress of heavy crepe de chine, while the hat, of felt to match, is gorgeously plain with a draped crown, higher at the back.

Mrs. Perry Belmont looks well in a rich reddish brown cloth coat, all set on fur from the knee down, with a handsome shawl collar and

wide cuffs of sable, which she wears with a brown hat. Another of her charming costumes is in black cloth, with a straight short jacket embroidered all around in a small Oriental design in red and gold and bordered with skunk. The skirt is straight and plain.

Young Mrs. Morgan Converse is lovely in a brilliant purple crepe de chine gown under a mink coat.

Mrs. Julie Thompson looks well in a velvet gown of lacquer red crepe de chine, tucked finely all over, with an intricate geometrical arrangement of the tucks at the waist. Over it she wears a black velvet coat with very wide kimono sleeves edged, to match the collar, with cream and gray ruffles.

A pretty young American girl wears a light green coat trimmed with striped Japanese squirrel, over a dress to match in crepe de chine, made in jumper and skirt form with a pleated apron.

The Hon. Mrs. Reginald Fothergill wears a bottle green coat from Paton,

very plain, with a slight flare, and taint collar and cuffs, which she wears with one of the new beret hats in matching green cloth.

(Fairchild Fashion Service.)

SCHOOL NURSES PLACE IN AMERICAN COMMUNITIES

Employment of a school nurse in a community adds point to health teachings in the schools. The number of cities in the United States employing nurses has more than doubled in the past 10 years, and the proportionate figure for rural schools is even greater. No uniformity has yet been reached as to terms of contract or duties required of the school nurse, but in 116 out of 173 cities having a population of 20,000 or more, from which information could be obtained by the Interior Department Bureau of Education, as reported in School Health Study No. 11, the nurse is employed for the school year, and in 54 for the calendar year. The average number of children per nurse is about 2,000, varying from 800 to as many as 7,000.

In some cities the applicant must stand examination. In others a certificate as registered nurse is required. The salary ranges from \$627 to \$2,700. In 114 of the cities sick leave with pay is granted. In 162 vacation with pay, and benefit of the retirement fund in 41.

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The Christmas festivities will be ushered in at Holy Cross Church with a solemn high midnight Mass, which will begin at 11.30 o'clock Christmas eve. The music of the Mass will be unusual in Kingston musical annals as the setting will be the incomparable Missa Brevis of Palestrina and will be sung throughout unaccompanied by any musical instrument. The soloists will be Josephine Hielsmoortel, soprano, Edith Mayer, contralto; Herman La Tour, tenor; and Harry Clearwater, bass, while Walter J. Kidd, Jr., will direct. The church is stately in its decorations of rows of twenty-foot cedar trees down the side aisles, in keeping with the dignity and splendor of the superb new sanctuary and high altar. The manger has been set up in the chapel of the Sacred Heart, which has been transformed to represent the rough cave the Saviour was born in. At the midnight Mass the celebrant will be the rector of the parish, the Rev. Gregory Mabry. Holy communion will be given at this Mass. There will be two low Masses for communion on Christmas day itself, at 7.30 a. m. and 9 a. m. Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock the choir will render Handel's Messiah. The children's festival will take place on the feast of the Holy Innocents, Monday, December 28, at 7.30 p. m.

The musical program for the midnight Mass will be as follows.

Prelude—Pastoral Symphony

—Handel

Introit—Adeste Fideles

—Cantus Diversus

Kyrie Eleison (Missa Brevis)

—Giovanni Pierluigi Palestrina

Gloria in Excelsis (Missa Brevis)

—Palestrina

Sequence—O Little Town of Bethlehem

—Redner

Credo (Missa Brevis)

—Palestrina

Offertory—Let All Mortal Flesh

—Old French Carol

Sanctus and Benedictus (Missa Brevis)

—Palestrina

Agnus Dei (Missa Brevis)

—Palestrina

During holy communion

Nazareth Gounod

Mr. Clearwater

Niel Cantique Del Rizzo

Miss Mayer

Recessional—Holy Night

—Franz Gruber

Postlude—Tocatta from the Fifth

Symphony Widor

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ORCHARD CLEANINGS

CONTROL DISEASES OF ORCHARD TREES

That new and better methods of controlling fire blight in apple orchards may soon be developed as a result of recent experiments was the hope expressed by A. N. Brooks of the Wisconsin agricultural experiment station at the meeting of the state horticultural society at Bayfield.

Mr. Brooks has been carrying on experimental work for two seasons in large commercial orchards, last year near Menomonie in Dunn county, and this season at Gays Mills in Crawford county. He is finding that the disease is carried over in the winter on Wealthy apple trees to a much greater extent than was believed possible before and that it is carried by the rain to other parts of the tree, being especially injurious where minute wounds have been made in the leaf and twig tissue by insects and by storms.

Fire blight has been serious throughout the state this season and has attracted a large amount of attention. Former recommendations were to cut out the blighted twigs as they appear, but Mr. Brooks questions the desirability of doing this until late fall or winter.

At the same meeting Dr. S. B. Fracker, state entomologist, described the work that the state department of agriculture is doing in reducing losses from the mosaic disease of raspberries. This disease is incurable and a plant which once has it never recovers. The nursery inspectors locate the diseased plants in the raspberry beds, and if there is too great a percentage of them, recommend the destruction of the entire bed. As a result of this work losses from mosaic in the principal raspberry areas have been greatly reduced. In Bayfield county, where from 40 to 60 small fruit nurseries are inspected each year, it was found that 80 per cent of the plantings were infected with mosaic, at least to a small extent.

Other causes of small fruit losses at Bayfield, described by Dr. Fracker, were winter injury due to insufficient protection during the freezing weather, anthracnose in black raspberries, and two different species of cane borers.

Prune Low-Headed Pear Trees Lightly Is Best

Low-headed trees, pruned lightly, proved best in every respect in tests at New York experiment station.

Experiments have been made with such well-known varieties as Anjou, Bartlett, Bosc, Kieffer, Sheldon, Seckel and Lawrence to study the relative value of high and low heading. "Results indicate that low heads are best for all varieties of pears, especially for the tall, upright-growing types," say the station horticulturists. "Low-headed trees produced denser, larger and rather more symmetrical tops than did the high-headed ones. This would be desirable for unwieldy varieties of the Kieffer type. Careful heading and early training are always desirable."

"All varieties of pears will respond more satisfactorily to little pruning than when severely pruned and thinned out. Little pruning seems to produce rather more symmetrical tops as well as larger bearing surfaces. Heavy pruning appears to stimulate a greater wood growth, which results in relatively smaller bearing areas."

Treatment for Gummosis

Gummosis is the term applied to the appearance of gum on the trunk or branches of trees that bear stone fruits. There are many things that cause this trouble. In any case the control consists of cutting out the affected areas wherever feasible. The wounds should be disinfected with a solution of corrosive sublimate 1 to 1,000, and a wound dressing should be applied.

Horticulture Hints

Bruised and wormy fruit will not keep under the best of conditions.

Careful grading and packing is the last good thing you can do to your fruit.

The most effective control measure for the apple twig borer is the cutting and burning of diseased twigs and branches of the trees.

The man who succeeds welcomes the small opportunity and turns it into what is afterwards known as "a stroke of luck."

Those planning to set out forest trees next spring should not postpone ordering. Do this at an early date.

Hold the temperature of the cellar as low as possible by keeping all cellar doors and windows tightly closed during the day and open at night.

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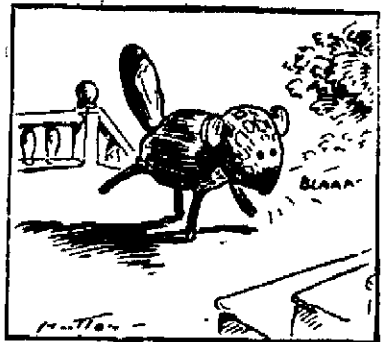
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Round Roast, lb.22c & 25c	Pork Chops or Steak, lb.26c
Boneless, Solid Chunks	Fresh Country Butter, lb.55c
Corned Beef, lb.18c	Pure Home Made Pork
Plate Corned Beef, lb.10c	Sausage, lb.25c
Boneless Chunks Beef, for pot roast, lb.15c	Neck Bones, lb.5c
Soup Meat, lb.8c	Sauerkraut, qt.10c
Plate Beef, lb.10c	Lamb Chops, lb.28c
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Nutty Natural History

By HUGH HUTTON.



THE RUSSIAN LAMSK.

The Russian Lamsk is quite similar to our own young sheeplets, except that it is much more devoted to gambling. In fact, since the lamaks were driven out of Russia following the revolution and migrated to Monte Carlo, they have done little else but gamble. They prefer high stakes, but the lowly hamburger will satisfy them. There was once a good market for lamskin, but since the Germans started making it synthetically, the trade has fallen off.

The lamsk shown here gambling on the terrace at Monte Carlo has a single peanut head and fibert body. The ears are split navy beans, and the tail is an almond kernel. The feet are cloves. A very lamskish appearance can be added by smudging the nose and end of tail black. (Metropolitan Newspaper Service.) (Tomorrow—The Neurotic Doop.)

Work

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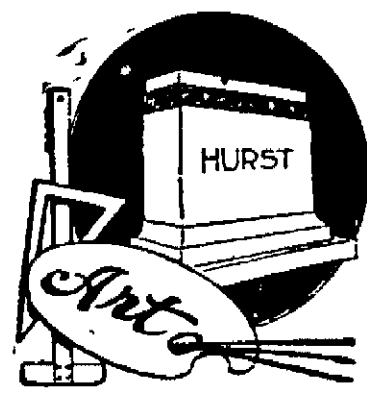
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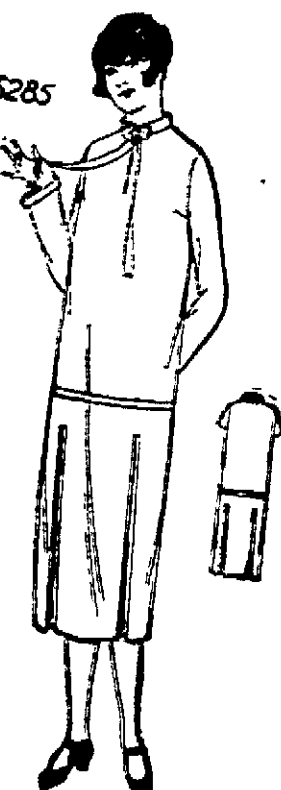
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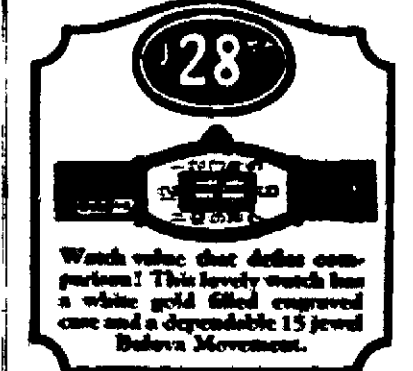
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Kingston, N. Y.**Discuss Diseases At Farmers' Week**

Plant diseases will be discussed at the nineteenth annual Farmers' Week at Ithaca by men from the state college of agriculture, the experiment station at Geneva, and the experiment station on Long Island.

Entomologists will join forces for two hours with the plant disease men on Thursday, February 11, of Farmers' Week. They will discuss fruit diseases and insect pests that trouble the farmers of New York state, and will answer questions that may be raised by those attending the meeting.

Other subjects to be taken up are diseases of cabbage, cauliflower, and related crops, by E. E. Clayton of the Long Island experimental station; late blight of potatoes, by F. C. Stewart, of Geneva; and celery troubles and the damping-off of vegetable seedlings, by Charles Chupp of Cornell.

W. O. Gloyer of the Geneva station will give the results of his studies for the past several years on the bacterial blight of beans. K. H. Fernow, of Cornell, will present a summary of his potato inspection data, which should aid farmers to more readily pass the certification requirements. Potato mosaic will be discussed by F. M. Blodgett of Cornell, who has been experimenting with the mosaic of potatoes and other crops for some time. W. H. Rankin of Geneva will discuss diseases of raspberries and other small fruits.

"These men," says Professor Chupp of the plant pathology department, "will be glad to receive suggestions or questions on their talks either before or during the discussion hour."

Feed Brood Sows From Farm Crops

Satisfactory rations for brood sows can be made up from feeds grown on the farm, according to Professor R. E. Hinman, of the state college of agriculture at Ithaca. Corn, barley, oats, boiled cull potatoes and the like can be made the basis of the energy and heat forming portions of the feed.

Growth-producing foods can be provided in meat meal tankage, fish meal, oil meal, alfalfa hay, and good kitchen waste. These will also care for a part or all of the mineral requirements, unless the ration is known to be low in needed minerals.

For ordinary purposes, however, Professor Hinman recommends the following: A hundred pounds of humus, cornmeal, or ground barley; a hundred pounds each of ground oats and wheat bran; thirty pounds of oil meal, fish meal, or tankage; and fifteen pounds of chopped alfalfa hay. As a daily ration, he suggests feeding from one to three pounds, depending on the size and condition of the sow. He says also that if house waste, sweepings from the cow manure, or poor silage are available, they may be spread on the ground where the sows can get at them. Skim milk may take the place of the protein part of the above ration, he says.

The breeder should remember that he is feeding not only the sow but the young pigs, Professor Hinman declares, and he should make ample provision for the heavy drain on the sow's vitality, particularly toward the end of her pregnant period, as that is when the most growth of the young pigs takes place.

NEW PALTZ.

New Paltz, Dec. 23.—William Schmalconche and family motored to New York, where Mrs. Schmalconche and children remained to spend the week with relatives.

Mrs. Elbert DeSilvia of Los Angeles, Cal., is visiting her parents.

The Misses Brown and Roff are spending their holiday vacation at their homes in Madalin.

Mrs. Martin DuBois delightfully entertained a number of friends at auction on Saturday afternoon.

During his vacation of a week Hugo Freer visited the family of Frank Barnes at Bethlehem, Penn. Jack Barnes is in his senior year at Lehigh University. Marian is teaching in Bethlehem.

Miss Mary Nilon who has been ill is able to be out again.

Leon S. Greene, four years state supervisor of trades and industries for Florida, resigned that position November 1 to become secretary and treasurer of the Florida Lakes and Hills Company at Travares, Fla., the county seat of Lake county, a county of 1,400 lakes. This company is now developing two sub-divisions. Mr. and Mrs. Greene who were teachers here in the Normal a few years ago and daughter Doris, have removed to Travares, and are now building a new home on a lake there.

An art exhibit was held in the art room at the Normal on Wednesday, December 16. The exhibit consisted of the best workmanship of the Senior, Junior and Freshmen classes. The Senior class exhibited charcoal drawings, the Junior class Christmas cards they had blocked and printed themselves, and the Freshmen class exhibited an illustrated alphabet.

There will be a Christmas Day service held in St. Andrew's Episcopal Church on Christmas morning, beginning at 9 o'clock. The Rev. Frederic L. Bradley, the rector, will take charge of the holy communion service and the Rev. J. Robert Haimshaw, of the Methodist Church, will preach.

Mrs. Mervin Van Wagenen writes to friends from Berkeley, Cal., that the climate is delightful and they are enjoying the beauty of the grass and flowers.

There have been sixty-two or more houses built in New Paltz since the year 1920. Some are now in the course of construction.

The amount cleared at the firemen's carnival, cafeteria supper and dance held in Colonial Hall, was around \$650. Those taking part in the entertainment of the evening were Mr. Oates, a solo; a whistling duet by Mr. Weismiller and daughter, Marjorie; an exhibition of color dancing by Master Freer of Rifton, four years old. This act was very clever and enjoyed by all. The final act, a sketch entitled "The Firemen's Coon Band," introduced George W. Wicks, Mr. Weismiller, Harry Ahlberg, Judson Schoonmaker and Harold Wood in a number of good songs and clever jokes. Dancing continued until 12:30.

Patrol B. of the Girl Scouts, recently held a candy and hot dog sale at the movies.

Is Old Theory

As a philosophical theory of mechanics is the attempt to find the entire universe as a closed system of causes and effects in which every change is ultimately reduced to a change of position. In this sense it is practically synonymous with materialism. The term was first given currency by Herbert.

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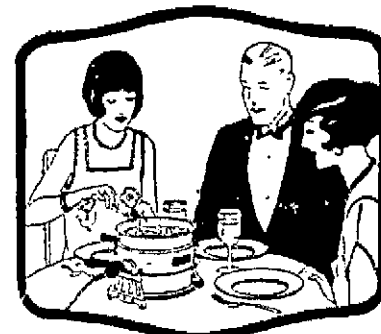
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Cal. Walnuts 35c lb	Currants 15c pkg	
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Old Scottish University
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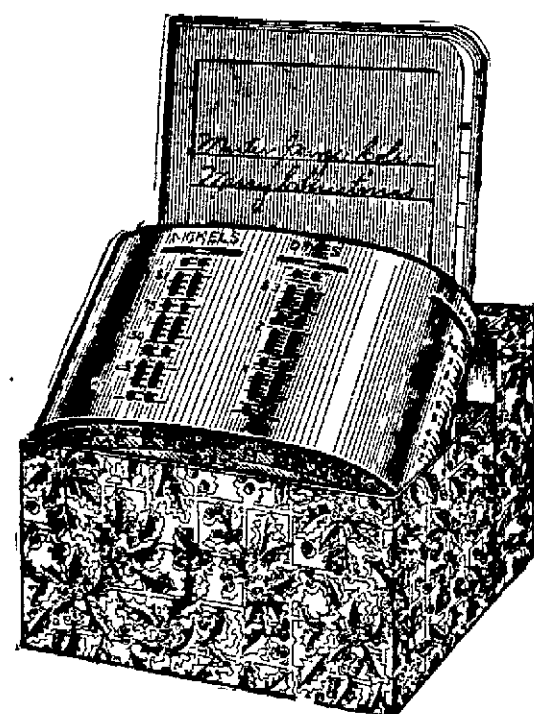
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INGENUITY SHOWN IN FIGHT FOR FREEDOM

Remarkable Escapes Made by Prisoners.

While it is difficult to imagine a more tedious task than cutting through thick masonry with a pair of scissors, as the two prisoners who escaped recently from Pentonville did, there are cases on record of even less likely tools being employed for a similar purpose, says the London Mail. Five years ago all the convicts confined in Marton county jail, Indiana, escaped through one of their number managing to obtain a watchmaker's saw, which was smuggled to him inside the cover of a small book. The bars of the cells were immensely thick and made of specially tempered steel, but this prisoner managed to remove their temper by wrapping round them a cloth saturated in formic acid, the prison disinfectant. The sawing took many days, the marks being hidden by soap.

Alfred Thomas, an English burglar, was employed in his cell at bookmaking. He cut down his bench a long flat piece of iron and fashioned it into a chisel. A metal pin he took off the leg of his table, replacing it with a wooden pin, and inserting the metal part with a piece of brown bread.

opened it, and began to grope his way to freedom. Reaching the jailer's room, he found the keys, but came to a door which none of the keys would unlock. He went back, found a knife, and picked the lock. He reached the exercise yard to find great iron railings that could not be scaled. Undismayed, he dug out under them, taking out a load of stones which would take a laborer a day to put back. He wrote on the wall: "A pleasant night!" Then he vanished.

The notorious criminal Vanden Weert was confined in the condemned cell, underground in Lille jail. Somehow he melted down his pewter mug and made two skeleton keys, having first taken an impression of the lock with bread pulp. He scaled the inner wall, nine feet high, climbed another wall by a waterspout, then dropped 15 feet with the aid of a blanket taken from his cell. Breaking into a tailor's shop, he exchanged his prison uniform for a smart suit, helped himself to money and cigars, and has not since been heard of.

Too Much Talk

Charles M. Schwab at a banquet in London, was cornered by a young man of great eloquence. The young man evidently believed that his chance in life was now come and he talked away at Mr. Schwab for more than half an hour. At last he said tentatively: "You are a good judge of character, Mr. Schwab. What quality do I most need in order to succeed?"

"Well, young man," the steel magnate answered, "I've listened to you for some time now, and it seems to me that you need what is on that desk over there."

"Ha, ha, ha! Push, oh? Push, oh Ha, ha, ha! Very clever! Push and pull! Is that what you think I need, Mr. Schwab?"

"No," said Mr. Schwab; "I think you need a device to make you shut up."

Parisian Relics Going

One by one the old Latin quarter resorts are disappearing or being so transformed that they are unrecognizable. The latest to be transformed is the Steinhilber, a brasserie which for years has been a late-hour rendezvous for bobolinks of the Boulevard Saint-Michel and Montparnasse. Thirty years ago it enjoyed a great reputation as a literary center, where gathered poets and writers and artists of the Clocerie. The brasserie has now become a restaurant. And the Grill, the cabaret artistic, has gone. The Grill was founded in 1912 and after war-time riches had prospered for years ago and gained a reputation among those who enjoy witty and well sung.

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Ford Scraps First Ship of Fleet

First of Shipping Board's Fleet, of 199 Ships Which He Bought Is Being Dismantled—Was Built During Last Days of War.

Detroit Mich., Dec. 23.—The first of the fleet of 199 ships purchased by Henry Ford from the United States Shipping Board to be scrapped for the manufacture of Ford products has reached the River Rouge plant of the Ford Motor Company. Hitched to a snorting tug, the big steel freighter slowly breasted the choppy water of the Detroit River and finally dropped anchor in the Rouge slip, its last voyage completed.

The ship—Lake Fondulac—barely escaped the grip of winter all the way along the route to Detroit. In the St. Lawrence it was necessary to plow lanes through ice fields already formed and the ship with its tug passed through the Wolland Canal on December 15, the day before the canal was closed for the winter. On the high sea, gales buffeted the staunch tug and its helpless burden. On three occasions all wireless communication was destroyed on the Ballcamp—one of seven sea-going tugs also purchased by Mr. Ford—was forced to seek the protection of Atlantic harbors for its charge.

Eleven men were carried by the Lake Fondulac on its trip to the River Rouge and the tug was manned by a crew of twenty-three. The vessel to be scrapped is of 3,500 tons cargo capacity; 251 feet long with a beam of 43.5 feet. Upon its arrival at the Rouge plant, it will be dismantled and all boilers, pumps and other useable equipment salvaged. The remainder of the ship will be scrapped, its steel to be used in the manufacture of Ford cars and trucks and Fordson tractors.

Although the vessel is incapable of motion under its own power, one boiler was kept fired all the way to Detroit to provide steam for operating winch windlasses and for steering.

Built in Cleveland during the heroic era of the world war, the appearance of the Lake Fondulac as it rolls at anchor or passively responds to the power of the tug is one of pathetic helplessness. Its keel was laid during the final months of the war when energy of thousands of men and millions of dollars were being spent to "build more ships." By the time it had been launched and equipped to play its part in the grim game of war, however, the war was ended.

Created on the Great Lakes for service on the high seas, the Lake Fondulac comes back to the Great Lakes to be scrapped for its steel—its longest ocean voyage probably having been made at the end of a tug's tow line. All winter cutting torches will be busy at the River Rouge in an experiment by the Ford Motor Company to determine the manner in which to dispose of the remaining ships of the fleet.

MC GRAW INTENDS TO STAND PAT WITH GIANTS.

New York, Dec. 23.—John McGraw's announcement that he had declined to trade George Kelly for Ed Roush and Fred Fitzsimmons, American Association recruit for Adolfo Luque was regarded by baseball men today as meaning that McGraw intends to stand pat with his Giants for 1926. McGraw indicated this when he said he planned to start Al Tyson, Louisville recruit, in center field, one of the weak positions on the local club.

Up-to-Date Builder

Underneath the foundation stone of a new building there were recently buried a newspaper, a gramophone record and a cinema film.—London Punch.

California Has Many Freak-Raising "Farms"

In the language of southern California, "farm" is the word commonly used to describe a freak establishment. Like the alligator nursery, says an Associated Press dispatch from Los Angeles. If it is a place where one raises oranges or lemons, it is a grove. Cattle, hogs, beans, beets or kidnaped products come from a ranch.

Freak farms are on the increase in this section, and the increase is not altogether welcome. The chamber of commerce of Los Angeles has issued a friendly warning to new settlers that there really is no room for more far-bearing rabbit farms and that "the individual investor who enters the rabbit-breeding industry for the purpose of selling furs will find himself disappointed."

So far, however, the alligator farm sphere does not seem to be overcrowded, and there are at least two prosperous ostrich farms, a goldfish farm, a lion farm, two butterfly farms, a frog farm, several silver fox farms and a number of pigeon farms. There used to be two frog farms, but the owner of one, who ambitiously stocked his lake with Louisiana frogs, quit because they were too clever for him. He couldn't catch enough to make a living. Another man, however, finds his frog farm in the San Fernando valley very profitable. He says there is plenty of demand for frog meat in Los Angeles.

Widely divergent products are turned out by the two butterfly farms in this section. One is devoted to the breeding of rare butterflies; the other, operated by a woman, produces tea trays and other novelties beautified with butterfly wings.

On the lion farm at El Monte are seventy-five lions on a five-acre tract planted with north African shrubs and equipped with buildings of north African architecture. Here the king of beasts is raised for zoo or circus, or prepared for a motion picture career.

The Bible in France

Hoping to make the Bible a "best seller" in France, as it is in English-speaking countries, M. Francois Bernourad, a publisher, is going to issue an edition in 30 volumes, with Hebrew and Greek texts opposite the French, and with woodcuts scattered liberally throughout. M. Bernourad is also a poet, whose work has found its way into many French anthologies.

Uncover Ancient Temple

Below Ashteroth temple, discovered at Bersan in Palestine, which dates back to about the time of Rameses II, is another and earlier temple, containing a large altar with steps leading up to it and a quantity of beads and jewelry. The finds include a stone hawk wearing the crown of North and South Egypt.

Accepts Jesus



RABBI STEPHEN WISE

Rabbi Stephen Wise, of the Free Synagogue, New York, declares that, contrary to Hebraic teachings, Jesus of Nazareth was not a myth, but was a man and that the Jews must accept His teachings as a man. He denied, however, that this meant that Christ was divine or that the tenets of Christianity were acceptable.

Electricity From Geysers

Investigation of the geysers or steam wells of Sonoma county, California, develops that these geysers, if harnessed to electric generators, could produce about 50,000 kilowatts of electrical energy. These wells, which are about seventy-five miles north of San Francisco, are seven in number and upon engineers' reports, plans are being made to construct a generating station with a capacity of 25,000 kilowatts of electrical energy.

Butler Says He Will Not Quit

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 23.—Brigadier General Smedley D. Butler's reign as director of public safety of Philadelphia, will end at noon today. At that time he will either resign, effective December 31, next, thus conforming with Mayor Freeman W. Kendrick's written request, or else he will probably be dismissed, according to those in close touch with the situation.

His successor will be George W. Elliott, Butler's present assistant, according to the mayor—providing Elliott will accept the appointment. Butler today reiterated his stand, declaring that he will not quit. He agreed, however, to leave the director of safety office at the designated time, noon—temporarily suspended as director.

EXCLUDING CHILDREN FROM SCHOOL FOR DISEASE

The current issue of Health News, published by the New York State Department of Health, says that not infrequently the department is in receipt of communications from health officers regarding the exclusion from school of children suffering with certain diseases not appearing on the list of communicable (and hence reportable) diseases enumerated in regulation 1 of Chapter II of the State Sanitary Code. For the benefit of others who are uncertain regarding the proper procedure a circular published by the Medical Inspection Bureau of the State Department of Education is printed in full. It is as follows:

Communicable diseases of school children (not included in the sanitary code, New York State Department of Health) requiring exclusion from schools, are:

Scabies (itch)
Acute conjunctivitis (pink eye).
Impetigo contagiosa
Ringworm
Favus
Lupus
Head lice
Body lice

These diseases are out of the jurisdiction of the health officer and come more properly under the care of the school authorities. Any school child having any of the ailments listed above should be excluded from school until in the opinion of the school medical inspector, health officer or family physician there is no danger of transmitting the disease to others.

All correspondence relating to the above communicable diseases in the schools should be addressed to the Medical Inspection Bureau, State Department of Education, Albany, N. Y.

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		Pink Butter 56c	
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Loan Pork, Pork Chops, rind on 24c	22c	45c	30c
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In the News of the Day



S. M. STRAUS



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S. M. Straus, famous New York financier, emphatically denies there is an overbuilding crisis and declares that prophecies of disaster are more dangerous than bolshevism. General S. M. Butler has left the Marine Corps to continue as head of the Philadelphia police. Grand Duke Nicholas, pretender to the Russian throne, is seriously ill at Vienna. Sonyu Otani, abbot of Shin Shu Temple, Tokyo, paid his respects to President Coolidge at the White House.

Parnett's Live Poultry Market

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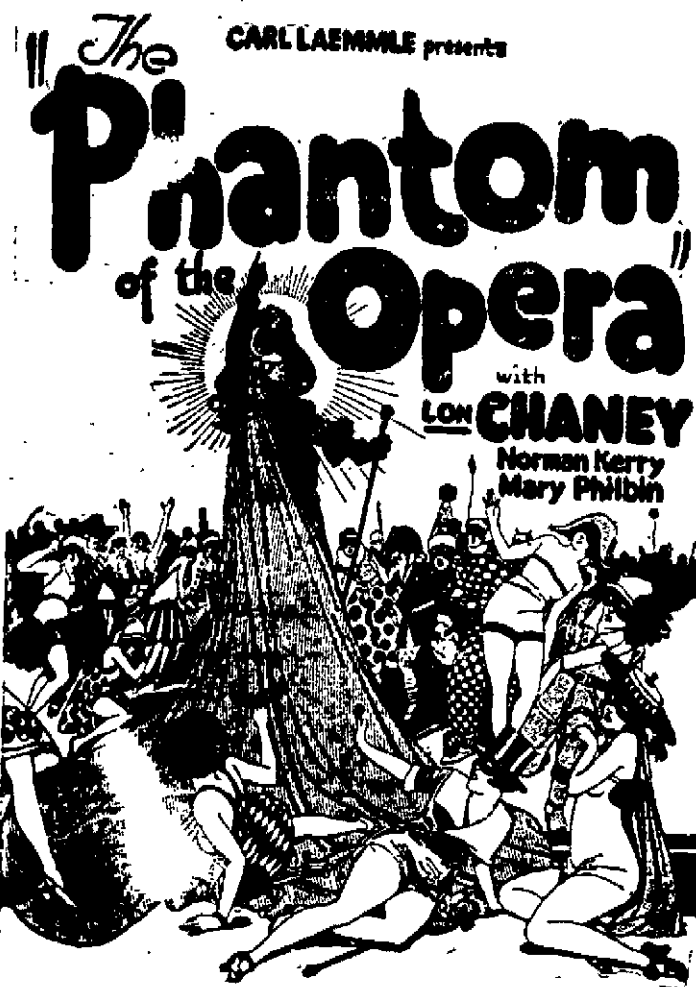
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Funeral of Frank Munsey Thursday

New York, Dec. 23.—The funeral of the late Frank A. Munsey, newspaper magazine publisher, will be here tomorrow in the cathedral of St. John the Divine. It is expected that Bishop William T. Manning, long a personal friend of Mr. Munsey, will officiate.

The honorary pall bearers, yet to be selected, will be chosen from the host of public men who knew the dead publisher.

Estimates of the value and probable disposition of the Munsey estate has been variously estimated at from \$25,000,000 to \$60,000,000.

His properties included besides the New York Sun and the New York Telegram, the Mohican Company chain of retail grocery stores; considerable retail holdings in New York city and in the Adirondacks; the Mohican Hotel and the Plant building in New London, Conn.; the Munsey building and the Munsey Trust Company in Washington.

Mr. Munsey was a bachelor. His only close relative was an elderly sister. Executives of Munsey's New York publications were in ignorance of any plans the publisher had for disposal of his estate.

Speculation concerning the disposal of the fortune of Mr. Munsey centered around three cousins, children of a brother of Munsey's mother, who it is reported, will receive a goodly portion of the publisher's fortune.

These cousins, S. C. Hopkins, New York; Mrs. Helen Hutton Hopkins, Rumford Falls, Maine; and Miss Martha B. Hopkins, Portland, Maine, together with Munsey's sister, Mrs. John M. Hyde, of Florida, and the widow of another cousin, Mrs. Frederick Hopkins, of New York, are the only relatives.

Only 2,777 License Plates Issued

The demand for 1926 motor vehicle plates so far is considerably smaller than County Clerk John H. Saxe expected. Deputy Finger, in charge of the local motor vehicle bureau at 237 Fair street, reported to The Freeman at noon today that only 2,777 license plates for passenger cars had been obtained out of the 18,000 which the state motor vehicle bureau estimates is the number needed for 1926 in Ulster county. There has been 733 license plates for commercial cars issued for 1926. It is expected that next week there will be the usual annual rush of last minute applicants and that there will a long line of car owners awaiting their turn.

Cancels Requests For Bridge Bids

Requests for bids for the construction of three steel and concrete bridges on county highways No. 31 and 117 in the town of Shandaken which were advertised for by the town superintendent of highways, John E. Ford, were cancelled by the town board. The bids were advertised for and were to be opened at 2 o'clock Tuesday, December 22, at the office of the town clerk at Allaben. After advertising for bids for the construction of the bridges it was found that the highway which is at present a county highway will probably be taken over by the state and the bridges constructed by the state as a part of the trunk highway through the town. In view of this fact the town board recalled its former action in asking for bids.

Matters Before The Surrogate

In the surrogate's court in the matter of the judicial settlement of the accounts of Evelyn DuBois as administratrix of Solomon DuBois of New Paltz, accounts filed and decrees ordered. John N. Vanderlyn attorney for petitioner.

In the matter of the judicial settlement of the accounts of Martin Burns as administrator of Nellie Shurtz of New Paltz, accounts filed and decrees ordered. Joseph V. Mitchell, New York, attorney for petitioner.

In the matter of the judicial settlement of Lenora Butler and Mary Davis as executrices of Mary A. McCarthy of Kingston, accounts filed and decrees ordered. Frederick Stepien, Jr., attorney for petitioner.

CURRENT OFFERINGS AT THE THEATRES

Reba Daniels comes to the Keeney Theatre tonight and Thursday in her newest starring picture from Paramount, "Lovers in Quarantine" directed by Frank Tuttle from an adaptation of the Broadway hit "Quarantine" by F. Tennyson Jesse. Also the latest Keeney News, Novelty and the comedy "Dragon Alley" and the Keeney orchestra headed by Jimmie Connors.

"Sally of the Sawdust" is now playing at the Kingston Opera House. The hearty comedy is interesting from rim to core. At the Auditorium tonight "Lost A Wife" will be screened. At the Orpheum tonight two features will be screened, "Passionate Youth" and "Bonnie Leonard in 'Breaking In'". Thursday, Friday and Saturday there will be vaudeville acts.

Venice's Greatest Dogs

Barrie Lombardi, the greatest of the dogs, ruler of Venice from 1912 to 1920, was considered the best action, the greatest specialist and the ablest diplomat in Europe. He was eighty-four years old when elected.

Congress Favors U. S. Entry Into Arms Conference

Dorah Tells President Coolidge There Would Be Little Trouble in Getting Appropriation—Charles E. Hughes Will Be Asked to Lead American Delegation.

Washington, Dec. 23.—Congressional sanction of American participation in the League of Nations' disarmament conference was virtually assured here today.

President Coolidge and Senator Borah, Republican, of Idaho, leader of the senate irreconcilables, had a conference at the White House, and at its conclusion Borah said:

"So far as I understand the president's position, I am in accord with it."

This was taken to indicate that the irreconcilable group in the senate will interpose no objections to an appropriation to defray the expenses of an American delegation to Geneva to attend the meeting of the preparatory commission which is to map out an agenda for the forthcoming conference.

No Trouble to Get Money.

The White House later explained that President Coolidge sought Borah's view particularly as to the propriety of asking congress to appropriate expenses of the American delegation to the conference.

Borah told the president there would be little trouble in getting congress to give the money, the White House declared.

Hughes Will Be Asked.

There was great speculation as to the probable make-up of the American delegation to the League of Nations disarmament conference.

The expectation is general in the capitol that Charles E. Hughes will be asked—if he has not already been asked—to lead the American representatives, although whether he could or would accept the post is a matter of some dispute among his intimates here. Mr. Hughes now enjoys a highly lucrative law practice, which he has told friends here he would be extremely loath to give up.

It is generally conceded that few men now active in public life have the background and intimate knowledge of present day conditions in Europe that Mr. Hughes possesses.

It has been suggested that Secretary of State Kellogg himself might head the American delegation, but this suggestion is not taken seriously here at this time, as it is believed President Coolidge would be loath to have his secretary of state one of touch during so important a period.

Senate Representation.

That the American delegation will contain senate representation is considered certain. President Coolidge has no intention of arousing senatorial ire, as did Woodrow Wilson when he failed to recognize the selection of the American peace commission.

Other Delegates Suggested.

The president's friends are suggesting that he try to persuade Senator Borah, Republican, of Idaho, to go. Borah is chairman of the powerful foreign relations committee, as well as the leader of the irreconcilables, and his acquiescence in anything arrived at abroad would be tantamount to insuring its ratification by the senate.

Senator Underwood, a veteran of the Washington conference, is available. His selection would give the necessary touch of Democratic color to the commission.

Vice President Dawes and Owen D. Young, the successful promoter of the Dawes plan, also have been suggested as possible prominent American delegates.

Salvation Army Xmas Baskets

Thursday afternoon the Salvation Army will begin delivering the Christmas baskets to those they have decided were needy. They will be on display at Salvation Army Hall, North Front street Thursday afternoon between 1 and 2 o'clock and the public in general is invited to come and see the baskets each filled with all that goes to make a Christmas dinner. So far there have been 150 baskets filled and there will be more as a number of applicants are under investigation. Captain Miller hopes that those who have forgotten to aid the fund, which needs more contributions, will mail a check to him at his address, 154 Green street.

Watch Your Change

The latest denomination of Uncle Sam's greenback is the \$20,000 note, only a few of which are in circulation.

TIME TABLE

Rhinebeck & Kingston Ferry

IN EFFECT DECEMBER 27, 1923.

Subject to Change.

Leaves Kingston	Leaves Rhinebeck
4:30 A.M.	7:15 A.M.
7:45 "	8:15 "
8:00 "	8:30 "
9:20 "	10:00 "
10:25 "	11:15 "
11:40 "	12:25 P.M.
1:00 P.M.	1:40 "
2:15 "	2:00 "
3:30 "	3:00 "
4:45 "	4:45 "
5:00 "	5:20 "
6:00 "	6:25 "
6:45 "	7:00 "

*This trip will not be made on Sunday.

This schedule shows the time at which it is intended the ferry shall leave Kingston and Rhinebeck, but the departure of the ferry at these times is not guaranteed.

Ulster County Boy Scout Rally

Will be Held on Tuesday, December 29, and Last All Day—Events in Which Scouts May Participate.

Deputy Scout Commissioners Luedtke and Dumm, assisted by Chester Hall and Al Duley, have arranged for an Ulster County Boy Scout Rally to be held in Kingston on Tuesday, December 29.

This will be an all-day rally, the Scouts being asked to meet at the corner of Pine Grove avenue and Broadway at 9 a. m., rain or shine.

A fluo program has been set up by those in charge, consisting of the following stunts in which all Scouts should be proficient.

There will be no troop or patrol competition, thus putting each Scout on his own mettle. All winners will receive individual certificates of merit carrying the signature of the court of honor.

The program is as follows: Scout Pace Race. Water Boiling Contest. Message Relay Race. Fire by Friction. Morse Signalling. Semaphore Signalling. Standing Broad Jump Relay. Patrol Antelope Race. First Aid Race. Basketball. Scout Singing. Speaker from National Headquarters.

All Scouts will be required to register for which a charge of fifty cents will be required. This will cover the fees at noon. Scouts are requested to bring mess kit.

Those who attend must so notify Chester R. Hall at the Y. M. C. A. not later than Monday noon, December 28.

Tried to Drag Girl Into Car

Daring Attempt to Kidnap Girl Walking On Albany Avenue Reported To Police Tuesday Night—Three Men in Cadillac Car Made Attempt.

A daring attempt by three men in a Cadillac car to kidnap a young girl who was walking on Albany avenue in front of the Governor Clinton Hotel about 11 o'clock Tuesday evening was reported to the police who are making an investigation.

According to the report made to the police, the car was seen driving slowly along Albany avenue close to the curb and when in front of the hotel one of the men leaped out of the car and attempted to drag a girl who was walking past into the car, but she resisted and when the men saw that her attempts to escape were attracting unfavorable attention from others on the street, they released her and drove away.

Whether the number of the license plates on the Cadillac car were obtained was not made public.

Flappers Take Notice
"Peaches Drive In" is a sign at the entrance of a farm on the Boston-Stonham highway.—Boston Transcript.

When Pleasure Palls
Pleasure, when it is a man's chief purpose, disappoints itself; and the constant application to it palls the faculty of enjoying it.—Steele.

This Week's Question
Why is it that when a man meets a woman for whom he thinks nothing is good enough, he eventually asks her to have him?—Buffalo Express.

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CORN 2 No. 2 cans 25c \$1.45
Fancy Southern crushed Dozen

Fancy Golden Bantam
CORN No. 2 can 19c \$2.19
Real narrow grain corn Dozen

Grand Union Maine
CORN No. 2 can 19c \$2.19
Creamy tender morsels Dozen

Del Monte Crosby Corn No. 2 can 18c

AMERICAN CLUB CORN

Golden Bantam, No. 1 can 15c Sweet, No. 1 can 15c

Carnso Macaroni, Spaghetti, 2 pgs. 35c Pure Crisco, lb. can 25c
Genuine Italian style For baking and frying

At Our Meat Departments

Yes, we have plenty of Turkeys, Geese, Ducks and Chickens and all the same good quality that the Grand Union Markets are noted for, and as usual the prices are right, very evident by the orders that we are receiving.

Roasting Chickens 45c	Leg Pork 27c
Fowls 38-42c	Fresh Callas 22c
Geese 44c	Loim Pork 30c
Ducks 45c	Legs Lamb 38c
Reg. Hams 32c	Home Made Sausage 32c

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Girl Bandit in Jewelry Robbery

New York, Dec. 23.—The pretty "red head" girl bandit with the marble head who recently stole an automobile and left its baby occupant in the fields, figured today in the holdup of the jewelry store of Jacob Pistanowitz, in Brooklyn, in which \$30,000 in gems were taken. The girl sat in the front of an automobile while her four men confederates bound and gagged Samuel Pistanowitz, son of the owner, and handcuffed him to a radiator. Police were convinced the auburn haired girl robber is the same one who stole the automobile owned by Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Kraft in Brooklyn last Saturday.

New York Produce Market

Wheat—Active. December, 172; May, 168; July, 145; Spot No. 2 Red Winter, 186 c. i. f. N. Y. export basis, and 184 c. o. b. to arrive. Corn—Strong. No. 2 yellow new, 91; No. 3, yellow new, 88; Oats—Steady. Fancy white clipped, 55 @ 56; ordinary white clipped, 50 1/2 @ 52 1/2; No. 1, nominal; No. 2, 52; No. 3, 51; No. 4, 49 1/2. Rye—Firm. No. 2 western, 104 1/2 c. i. f. export and 105 c. o. b. New York. Barley—Lusier. Malting, 85 1/2 @ 89 1/2 c. i. f. New York export. Hay—Dull. No. 1, 145; No. 2, 120 @ 125; clover mixed, 110 @ 119. Straw—Firm. No. 1 straight rye, 95 @ 100. Flour—Firm. Spring patents, 850 @ 900; clear, 750 @ 800; straight, 500 @ 550; straight, 550 @ 600; winter patents, 900 @ 950; clear, 750 @ 800. Potatoes—Quiet. White, nearly \$7.00 @ \$7.75; Bermuda \$7.00 @ \$14.50; southern \$1.00 @ 4.50; Jersey sweets, 50 @ 3.25; Maine \$5.75 @ 8.00. Dressed Poultry—Dull. Chickens 22 @ 23; turkeys 30 @ 35; geese 12 @ 22; fowls 15 @ 25; ducks 17 @ 23; broilers 28 @ 40. Live Poultry—Unsettled. Express. Ducks 15 @ 32; geese 13 @ 22; broilers 42 @ 45. Butter—Firm. Higher scoring, 42 1/2 @ 50 1/2; creamery extra, 48 @ 49 1/2; creamery firsts, 44 1/2 @ 48; process extra, 13 1/2 @ 14; ladies firsts extra, 38 @ 39. Eggs—Firm. Nearly white fancy, 51 @ 55; nearly brown, fancy, 51 @ 57; extras, 49 @ 50; firsts, 44 @ 45. Milk—The nominal wholesale price is 2.80 per 100 lbs., delivered in New York.

PORT EWEN.

Following is the Christmas entertainment to be given at the Reformed Church Sunday school:
Song—"The Herald Angels Sing."
Greetings—Recitation by Jack Spinnenweber.
Song—"Holy Night" Mildred Freer, Julia Van Aken, Raymond Lampman, Almina DuBois, Dorothy Nave.
Song—"Helen Rice and Roberta Hottel."
Recitation—Frances Johnson.
Recitation—Junior Vesper.
Carol—"Away in a Manger."
Junior Department.
Recitation—Harold Ferguson.
Solo—Dorothy Groves.
Recitation—Albert Munson.
Exercise—"Santa's Helpers."
Edna Gavin, Robert Johnson, Olive Munson.
Recitation—Hester Schicht.
Recitation—Raphael Van Aken.
Recitation—Donald Taylor.
Song—"Kathleen Schicht Kathleen Spinnenweber, Helen Munson and Alice Schicht."
Recitation—Warren Johnson.
Exercise—"Santa and the Mouse."
Wilbur Fulton, David's Slaght and Leila Munson.
Recitation—"What Makes Christmas Happy?" Viola Hottel, Katharine Carol.
Santa Claus and distribution of gifts.
Refreshments and a social hour will follow the program.

What Shakespeare Said

A Jew's prosperity lies in the ear of him that hears it, never in the tongue of him that makes it—Love's Labor Lost, Act 3, Scene 2.

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Financial and Commercial

New York, Dec. 23.—Nearish traders who placed too much dependence on high call loan rates and outside liquidating in the early part of the week, were pushed to the wall today when the bulls assumed control of the market and rapidly advanced prices in the speculative leaders. The market was mostly professional and was featured by the return to active trading of American Can, General Electric and others of the outstanding leaders of the early 1925 advance. Can rushed up eight points to a new record high price of 274 before the noon hour, and Chrysler Motor sold above 200 at the expense of the shorts.

American Can's 10 point rise to a record breaking price of 275 1/4 stimulated bullish movements in the fourth hour. Pools in International Combustion, American Steel Foundries, etc., moved up their specialties, and United States Steel got back to above 135 for a 1 1/2 point gain. The railroad shares were conspicuously inactive. Western oils were again the most conspicuous ground gainers for the petroleum stocks with Pacific oil up 1 1/2 at 65 1/2. Shell Union above 26, California Petroleum at 22 1/2. Gulf States and Republic, the most active of the independent steels, sold about two points higher, as also did Anaconda and Smelters, at the head of the copper stocks, Chrysler Motor added eight points when it advanced in good form to 202, leading the motor shares, with Hudson, White and General Motor about two points higher. Call money six per cent.

Quotations given by C. H. Halsey & Co., 27 William street, New York city, branch office, Warren Building, 160-62 Fair street, Kingston, N. Y.

1:45 P. M. QUOTATIONS.

Ala-Chalmers	94 1/2
American Beet Sugar	33
American Can	280
American Car & Foundry	109 1/2
American Ice Cream	119
American Smelting & Ref. Co.	134 1/2
American Sugar	73
American Tel. & Tel.	142 1/2
American Woolen	41
Anaconda Copper Mining	50
Atchafalaya, Tonoka & Santa Fe	131
Baldwin Loco	131 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	92 1/2
California Petroleum	26 1/2
Canadian Pacific	15 1/2
Central Leather	15 1/2
Cerro de Pasco Copper	63 1/2
Chandler Motors	47 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio	128 1/2
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	128 1/2
Chicago, R. I. & Pacific	55 1/2
Cons. Gas	94 1/2
Corn Products	39 1/2
Cosden & Co.	34 1/2
Crescent Steel	50
Erie	38
General Motors	115 1/2
Great Northern, pd	81 1/2
Great Northern Ore	20 1/2
Inspiration Copper	23
Int. Mer. Marine Mtd.	41 1/2
International Paper	62 1/2
Keely Spring Tire	17 1/2
Kennecott Copper	65 1/2
Little Valley	53 1/2
Middle States Oil	1
New York Central	129 1/2
N. Y. N. H. & H.	47 1/2
Norfolk & Western	148 1/2
Northern Pacific	76 1/2
New York, Ontario & Western	29
Pacific Oil	65 1/2
Pan American Pet. & Trans. A.	75 1/2
Pan American Pet. & Trans. E.	77 1/2
Pennsylvania Railroad	54
Pittsburgh Coal	39
Pressed Steel Car	68 1/2
Railway Steel Spk.	63 1/2
Reading	63 1/2
Rev. Iron & Steel	60
Royal Dutch	54 1/2
Sinclair Cons.	22
Southern Pacific	100 1/2
Southern Railway	119
St. Oil California	57 1/2
St. Oil New Jersey	43 1/2
Standard Oil	50 1/2
Texas Co.	52 1/2
Texas & Pacific Oil	56
Tobacco Products "A"	108
Union Pacific	145 1/2
U. S. Industrial Alcohol Co.	75 1/2
U. S. Rubber	81 1/2
U. S. Steel	133 1/2
Utah Copper	75
Westinghouse Electric	75
White Motors	82 1/2

Chicago Grain Market.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 23.—Grains opened sharply higher today. Provisions opened 3 to 2 1/2 cents higher.

Opening Prices.

Wheat—December, new, 167 1/2; May, new, 167 1/2 @ 170; old, 165 @ 168 1/2; July, 144 @ 146 1/2. Corn—December, 76 1/2 @ 78 1/2; May, 84 @ 85; July, 83 @ 84 1/2. Oats—December, 33 1/2 bid; May, 44 1/2; July, 45.

Closing Prices.

Wheat—December, new, 173 @ 174 1/2; December old, 170 1/2 @ 171 1/2; May, new, 171 1/2 @ 174; May, 169; July, 147 1/2 @ 148 1/2. Corn—December, 76 1/2 @ 78; May, 84 1/2 @ 85; July, 83 1/2 @ 84 1/2. Oats—December, 33 1/2 bid; May, 44 1/2; July, 45 1/2 bid.

Business Certificate Filed.

Tillie Vogel has certified under the assumed business law to the Ulster county clerk that she is conducting a business at 22 Abel street, Kingston, under the name and style, "Abel Vogel."

Mannecher New Year's Ball.

The Resident Social Mannecher will hold their annual New Year's Ball at Mannecher Hall, Strand and Hudson avenue, on Thursday evening, December 31.

New Manager.

The Cadillac Restaurant has secured as manager George Morrey of Pine Hill, a man who has a thorough knowledge of the restaurant business for the past fourteen years. Mr. Morrey operates his kitchen under true American style and hopes that he will be able to please all of the patrons. Mr. Morrey has secured a woman chef and will have home made pies and pastry at all times. Mr. Morrey has the best wishes of his many friends in his new venture. Advertisement.

\$125 Verdict for Auto Damages

A verdict for plaintiff in the sum of \$125 was awarded in the action brought by John Costello against Paul Moretz, to recover damages to an automobile of plaintiff, William D. Brinnier and Rosemary V. Ellsworth appeared for plaintiff and Judge Joseph M. Fowler for defendant. This morning an action on contract was taken up for trial, the last case for the term. The action is brought by Barney Millens of this city against Marcus K. Frank. Mr. Millens seeks to recover for failure to fulfill a contract which he claims he entered into with Mr. Frank for the purchase of a quantity of second hand rails which Millens had for sale.

William D. Brinnier and Rosemary Ellsworth appeared for the plaintiff and Frank W. Brooks for the defendant. All jurors not engaged on the case now being tried have been excused for the term.

Fireman Killed While on Duty

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 23.—One fireman was killed and four others seriously injured early today while fighting a spectacular fire in the grain warehouse of E. Steen and Brothers.

Captain Harry Jones was instantly killed when a wall collapsed burying him and four others in the ruins. The fire was still burning fiercely at 8 a. m., and it is estimated the damage will exceed \$100,000.

The warehouse is adjacent to the government's liquor storage warehouse where 2,000,000 gallons of whiskey are in storage.

Storms in Spain Take Heavy Toll

Madrid, Dec. 23.—Storms and floods continue today throughout Spain.

Five workmen were killed in a snow avalanche near Barcelona. Several women and many cattle were drowned as the result of rising waters. Farmers have been wiped out of all their possessions. The steamer Arayamendi was wrecked upon the rocks off Ceuta.

About the Folks

Miss Melba Simmons of Smith College is spending part of her Christmas vacation at the home of her mother, Mrs. Simmons, on Wall street. Miss Simmons was accompanied home by Miss Ruth Clarke of Wellesley College.

Benjamin J. Van Demark of 743 Broadway, who has been employed as a construction foreman for a long time by the J. G. White Construction Company, has returned home from Long Island for the winter. He expects to go in the early spring either to Kentucky or Texas, where the company have large contracts.

LOCAL DEATH RECORD.

Recent Deaths and Funerals of Persons in T.J.s-Vicinity.

Gilbert S. Kukuk, son of Frank H. Kukuk, a former resident of this city, died Tuesday at his home in Bergen Point, N. J. He is survived by his wife and an infant son, also his father and three brothers. Funeral services on Thursday afternoon at the home of his father, Cliffside, N. J. Interment at Cliffside.

Word has been received in this city of the death on Tuesday of Elizabeth, two year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Mergendahl of Newtonville, Mass. Besides her parents she is survived by three sisters and one brother. The deceased was a granddaughter of the late Joseph Mergendahl of North Front street.

Wilson Bertrand, a former resident of Pine Hill and this city, died on December 17 in New York city where he had resided for a number of years. The remains were taken to Pine Hill on Saturday and interred in the village cemetery. Mr. Bertrand founded the Pine Hill Sentinel which he conducted for several years, finally selling the newspaper to the late U. S. Grant Cure. He also founded the Rosendale Star which he conducted for about two years. Mr. Bertrand was well known in this city.

Thomas Canary died at 550 West 146th street, New York city, Tuesday, aged 60 years. He had been ill and while eating dinner, suffered a heart attack from which he failed to rally. He was in charge of the delivery of the New York Evening World, which position he had held for a long time. In 1885, Mr. Canary entered the employ of Joseph Pulitzer as office boy on the New York World and had advanced to the head of the delivery department. He was preparing to leave for New Paris to spend the Christmas holiday season with his wife and family.

NOTARIANS PLAY SANTA TO INDUSTRIAL HOME.

Relaxing luncheon this week was in the nature of a treat for Christmas trees with John Gregory of 514 1/2 Broadway and a half-dozen Santa Claus and President Highway delectable Christmas address. Each member brought a gift for each other member and as a large number of these gifts were mechanical toys and such recipient was required to exhibit and demonstrate the gift after lunch. There was a little stir after this brief employment of the gifts that were all returned to the president's table and will be sent to the Industrial Home.

Radio Operators Pick Up Message Of Sea Tragedy

Sixteen Men Missing In a Marine Life Boat and The Message "Sunk, All Hands" Are Known Facts In Marine Disaster.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 23.—Gale swept reaches of the north Atlantic, penetrated only by fragmentary radiograms and wireless messages, today held the details of one marine disaster, possibly two.

That the Italian freight steamer Marina went down off the Newfoundland coast, that the steamer Newtonhall stood by, that sixteen men from the Marina were picked up in a life boat by the steamer "C. I. P., that sixteen others in another Marina life boat are missing and that a message with the words "sunk; all hands" came through the air are the known facts revealed in messages received from Sunday midnight to this forenoon along the coast from Boston to Louisville, C. B.

Radio operators here, who picked up the "sunk; all hands" message think that two steamships have gone down.

"Sunk; All Hands."

First news of trouble in the violent storm that raged out to sea came in a message to the Tropical radio station here from the Newtonhall, which said she was standing by the distressed Marina, that the cargo was shifting and that the Marina was badly in need of help. Hours later came the message: "Sunk; all hands." This was undisputed.

Rescue Men In One Boat.

A radio message picked up during the night and relayed to Halifax, N. S., from Louisville, C. B., intimated that the Marina had been abandoned. An unknown steamship, signing the call letters "C. I. P., has rescued 16 men from one life boat but could not find another, also containing 16 men.

Location of the "C. I. P." was given as latitude 37.51 north, longitude 36.0 west.

Call Letters Confused.

The call letters "C. I. P." are believed to have been confused with those of the French tanker "C. I. D." Later reports said that "C. I. D." had the Marina's captain, who was injured, and part of the crew aboard. The Marina sailed from Philadelphia December 8 for Mediterranean ports.

Since the receipt of this message radio stations from Chatham to Louisville have been combing the air but no further word has been received.

The Marina, a steel twin screw steamship of 5,400 tons, carried a crew of 32 officers and men.

Hears Good Night



Frank A. Munsey, editor and publisher of New York, passed away following an operation for appendicitis. Seventy-two years old, he started his career with \$40 and died worth millions.

SHOOT MAN HE FOUND IN WIFE'S BEDROOM.

Hackensack, N. J., Dec. 23.—Charged with having shot a man he found in his wife's bedroom, Charles Sands, a wealthy silk dyer, was released in \$2,500 bail today while his wife continued to be held on a statutory charge. The third member of the triangle, John Rotogel, 23, is in the hospital with bullet wounds that Sands confessed to inflicting. He will recover.

Moreco in History

In ancient times the country known as Moreco was a powerful empire known to the Romans as Mauritania. An adjacent state, known as Numidia, was annexed to Mauritania and the whole made Roman provinces toward the close of the Roman republic. It was this strip of the southern coast of the Mediterranean that the Romans called Africa.

Preserving Power

Many persons who are acquiring new and then a few pieces of old power will find that it is wise to wash it in warm, soapy water after using it down to dry it off with a little white bran and a soft cloth. If it is very dirty, a paste made of whitening and alcohol will clean the power if rubbed in well. Rub the power afterwards with a soft polishing cloth.

Police Fear Julia Was Murdered

Detectives Abandon Hope of Finding Julia Vetterlein Alive In Chinatown—100 White Girls Found Living With Chinese.

New York, Dec. 23.—A campaign to clean up Chinatown was predicted today when detectives, searching for the missing 19 year old Julia Vetterlein and her Chinese admirer, Sing Foo, discovered that more than one hundred white girls are living with Chinese in this mysterious part of New York's underworld.

Many of these girls have been reported "missing." None of them, apparently, wanted to return to their homes.

The police could find no trace of Julia, however, or of the young Chinese "sheik" with whom she is said to have been in love. Detectives virtually abandoned hope of finding her alive, and began searching for the body.

Police fear Julia met the same fate as Elsie Sigel, the society missionary who was murdered in 1909 in Chinatown and whose slayer is uncaught.

The finding of Julia's body, police fear, would lead to an outbreak of long warfare. It was recalled that the discovery of Miss Sigel's body was the spark that set the tongs ablaze in a murderous war sixteen years ago.

Police were searching for another man, an Americanized Chinaman, in connection with Julia's disappearance. This man, Charles Wah, 23, a cook, is said to have been a rival of Sing Foo for the affections of the girl. He is also said to be the father of the girl's three months' old baby.

135 Killed in Storm in Japan

Tokio, Dec. 23.—One hundred and thirty persons were killed and extensive damage wrought in a storm which swept over Japan from Sunday to Tuesday, according to reports reaching here today.

Numerous coasting vessels and fishing vessels were destroyed and in Tokyo many of the larger buildings and residences were seriously damaged.

SOCIETY NOTES

Christmas Subscription Dance.

The Christmas Subscription Dance, which promises to be the outstanding social event of the season, will be held at the Y. W. C. A. gym on Christmas night, at 9:30 o'clock. Music will be by Zita.

Tea Dance Saturday.

The Girls' Friendly Society of St. John's Church will hold a tea dance at St. John's parish house on Wall street on Saturday afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock. Music for dancing will be furnished by Zucca's orchestra.

Ellsworth-Fraser.

Howard J. Ellsworth of No. 14 Wilbur avenue, and Miss Marjorie A. Fraser of No. 120 O'Neil street were united in marriage on Sunday, December 20, by the Rev. E. M. H. Knapp, rector of St. John's Church, Wall street. They were attended by Miss Florence M. Fraser and Ira Ellsworth.

RED MEN EXPECT BIG TIME WHEN SANTA COMES.

Plans have been completed for the big Christmas tree and entertainment of Minnekahta Tribe, No. 130, Improved Order of Red Men, at Pythian Hall, corner of Broadway and Thomas street, on Thursday evening of this week. There will be a visit from Santa Claus and there will be presents for the members of the Tribe, their wives and children. Candy will be given to the members and their wives and there will be toys for the children. The plans have been in charge of Henry Nachodt, Chester Klimer and Frank Jagger.

Fred Van Deusen will entertain with magic and other interesting acts. Members of the Tribe from St. Remy will be present in a body accompanied by their wives and friends. The entertainment will commence promptly at 8 o'clock and the public is invited.

THE JOINERS.

News of interest to members of Fraternal Societies.

A. W. Reynolds Temple, No. 23, Pythian Sisters, will meet this evening at 8 o'clock in his rooms in Pythian Hall, Broadway and Thomas street.

The annual meeting for the election of officers of Round Lodge, No. 242, F. & A. M., will be held on Monday evening at the Masonic building, Broadway and Strand.

This evening Round Lodge, No. 52, K. T., will hold a regular stated convocation at which time matters of great interest will be discussed. A short drill rehearsal will be held and refreshments will be served.

ANOTHER EIGHT PER CENT INTEREST FOR FORD MEN.

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 23.—Employees of the Ford Motor Company, who have invested their savings in the company's certificates, will receive another eight per cent interest shortly after the first of the new year, company officials announced today.

This will give them a total of 16 per cent on their \$25,000,000 investment, 8 per cent having been paid on July 1 last.

Providence by Battle

By MARTHA M. WILLIAMS
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WHEN Kirtelle-John was her cloudy look wise men instantly became wary and wailing. Why not in presence of a girl baptised Kirtelle-John Kirtelle? An olive-branch name, you see, to hold peace betwixt two stubborn stocks, each intent on perpetrating its own name. It was bad enough to have the bear turn out an heir, likewise a half-orphan. Her father had died before she was a month old, saving poor tenant folk trapped by Mrs. Ferry Kirtelle wasn't so bad a name for a man—but with both grandfathers called John there was a pretty howdeydo over harmonizing things without favoritism.

So as Kirtelle-John the small person had grown up, ugly, even scrawny, the while, then suddenly flowering into beauty so exotic it was breath-taking. Tall, slim, lithely angular, she came, saw and conquered.

That is to say, before the era of the footloose Leland, whose other name was Douglas.

Vital to her finger tips, Kirtelle-John had to be doing something. Therefore she flirted—desperately yet with a certain reserve of discrimination. Not a bit snobbish—her hottest partisans were the young fellows, who, when it came to courting, felt themselves out of it.

Leland, her match in everything, had no such hindrance, yet, oddly she did not appeal to him. Certainly nothing so alive had a right to be so deadly calm. It was neither pretence nor apathy—her eyes forbade. He wondered a lot—was there anything save a man that could really wake her?

There was he discovered—to his own confounding. A horse, plus horse general. The horse, black, thoroughbred, wind-swift, game as a gundit, flecked with bloody foam from bit to haunch, was running away, mad with torture of bit and spur and lash. Reeling, plunging, doing all he might to unseat an iron rider, or else to crush him. Leland striding over grass a hundred yards from the lane started full run to the man's help, but stopped short after three strides, half paralyzed. Kirtelle-John raced down her own pasture, popped her Brown Betty handsomely over the tall hedge, right in front of the squealing black fury, half wheeled, caught the reins below the bit, and drew down the creature's head, gently but with a grip of iron, as she did it crying in a voice of steel to the rider: "Drop that whip! Jump! Else you'll die as you deserve."

Says Love Pirate Wed 48 Women

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 23.—John V. Widemeyer, international love pirate, today was accused by one of his known wives, Mrs. Esther Weying Brooks, testifying in her own divorce suit, of having married no less than forty-eight other women.

"I have found nine other 'loves' besides myself without half trying," Mrs. Brooks told Judge Harry J. Lewis.

"This man whom I was married to is an Austrian," she said. "His right name is Sigmund Engel. I met him in Minneapolis—an interesting man of about 50, who said his name was Brooks, that he was a writer and was on his way to Hollywood to do a few scenarios."

"We were married in Des Moines sixty days later, on November 11, 1924. A month later he deserted me, taking with him \$13,000 that belonged to my foster parents."

"I started investigating. Within three months, after he deserted me, I learned he was married again, to a girl named Olga Fuerth from whom he got \$6,500 before he left her. There was a St. Paul woman from whom he got \$9,000 and one in the south who gave him \$8,000, why judge, I found nine of them without half trying. The old game he played certainly was effective."

"You women ought to have conservators for your money appointed," the court commented in announcing that the decree probably would be granted.

COMMUNION SERVICE OBSERVED 1,048 TIMES.

The inadvertent omission of the word "Christmas" in Tuesday evening's Freeman in the item relative to the impressive communion service at the First Dutch Church on Sunday may have created the impression that that observance of the sacrament of the Lord's Supper only was the two hundred and sixty-second in the history of the church. It was intended the item should say it was the two hundred sixty-second Christmas observance of that sacrament, being in fact the ten hundred forty-eighth of that great event. The First Dutch church has held its communion service on the Sunday nearest to the great festivals of the church, Christmas, Easter, Whitsunday and Michaelmas.

Negro Couldn't Sical.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 23.—Probation officers today were looking for a job for Louis Felton, a negro, of Henneke, Va., who asked to be arrested because he was out of work and "just couldn't sical." At Felton's request Patrolman Richard Butler took the man in custody on a vagrant charge.

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